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DESPERATE BATTLE BEGINS IN FLANDERS: FIERCE ASSAULTS OF GERMANS HALTED

The Belgian Army, Supported by the Allies, is Holding Stubbornly to the Line of the River Yser—Efforts of Allies to Retake Lille Are Repulsed, According to German Reports.

SUPREME STRUGGLE IS STAGED ON WEST FRONT

Situation in the East Unchanged, According to German and Russian Reports—Austrians Claim to Have Repulsed Russian Attacks While Latter Declares That Many Prisoners Were Taken.

London, Oct. 20.—Fighting of the most desperate character is in progress in West Flanders and Northwestern France. The Belgian army, supported by the allies, is holding stubbornly to the line of the river Yser, and thus far has halted determined efforts of the Germans to advance along the coast.

This is announced in the French official communication issued this afternoon and is admitted in the report of German general headquarters which says fighting has been going on since Sunday in the vicinity of Nieuport, which stands at the crossing of the river near the sea.

Further to the south the allies are attempting to advance toward Lille for the relief of that city, which has been in German hands for some time. They also are pushing on to the north and south of Arras. Their efforts yesterday to advance on Lille, where the Germans hold strong positions, were repulsed, according to the German report.

To the south, at the head of the line, the Germans continue furious but futile attempts to break the French line. Along the Meuse in the East, according to the French account, Germans have failed to repulse the French who debouched along the territory in which is situated the Camp Des Romaines, now in the hands of the Germans, in an attempt to cut out that portion of the German army which is thrust towards St. Mihiel.

FRENCH CLAIM PROGRESS.

Generally speaking, the French claim to have made progress at various points along the front. Paris reports that the allies have destroyed 15 German machine guns, two of which were armored, near Lebasse, and a battery of German heavy artillery in the environs of St. Mihiel.

Both sides are bringing reinforcements to the west front, where a supreme struggle is on. The Germans are not bringing new troops from the East, but are throwing every available man in Belgium into the firing line. They seem to have the railroads working well, although they must have been seriously damaged during the battles of August and September. Troops are being transported over them and Dutch sources report that train after train of wounded is being taken back to Germany.

In the fighting in this open country, where the men have not the protection of elaborate entrenchments the losses must be heavy, especially where endeavors are made to carry positions by assault.

German and Russian reports agree that the situation in the East has not changed, although the armies are in close touch along the East Prussian frontier and across Poland and Galicia. However, the Austrians claim to have repulsed Russian attacks and to be making progress in their campaign to drive out the invaders.

The Russians, on the other hand, say they are making large numbers of prisoners. Heavy fighting is going on around Przemysl and the cupolas of the forts surrounding the town, says an Italian correspondent. He states that the forts have been mined and dismantled and magazines blown up. The town itself, however, has not been damaged.

RUSSIANS WELL ENTRENCHED.

The same correspondent says the battle continues on the Vistula, San and Dneister rivers. There is a system of great entrenchments on the Russian side and the entire front is furnished with powerful guns which day and night hurl thousands of projectiles into the enemy's lines. The Austrians and Germans, adds the correspondent, have been obliged to remain on the defensive but have repulsed a great cavalry attack to the west of Warsaw.

Sarajevo, the Bosnian capital, according to a report issued at Nish, is enveloped by Servians and determined efforts are being made to take the town before the end of the trial of the alleged assassins of Archduke Francis Ferdinand.

In South Africa the rebellion of Colonel Maritz virtually has been broken up. Another lot of officers and men have been captured; others have surrendered voluntarily.

Italy has denied the report that she had occupied Avlona, the Adriatic port of Albania. The news from Italy shows that the Italian people are growing more antagonistic to the Austrians because the Italian fishing industry has been interrupted by Austrian mines in the Adriatic and because the service of many steamship lines has been suspended for the same reason.

Sweden has ordered all lights on her coasts extinguished so they cannot be of use to the navies of the belligerent powers.

The food shortage in Belgium is growing more serious and American officials are making efforts to hurry relief, especially to Brussels, where the need is greatest.

WONDERFUL RESISTANCE

Is Being Offered Germans Along The Line By Allied Armies.

The Battle Front, via Paris, Oct. 20.—The Germans invaders are meeting wounded resistance in their efforts to shorten their lines and rest their right wonderful resistance in their effort to the English channel. Much of the fighting is being done in the obscurity of fogs.

French marines yesterday gave a good account of themselves. German troops tried a surprise attack on them Sunday, but the French force held the field works against superior numbers. The fight lasted all day and then the Germans contented themselves with cannonading the position of the marines.

A thick fog covered the entire region Monday and the marines, accustomed to such weather conditions, crept close to the German trenches. "No shooting," was the order, "use the bayonet."

The marines got within thirty feet of the trenches before they were seen. Their coming was heralded too late for defenders, who were bayonsted in the trenches and beyond the trenches as they ran. Four hundred German prisoners were taken.

One [illegible] the places where the French [illegible] most harrassed is near the [illegible] western line. The impor- and retaken frequently during the last three weeks. Every time the Germans had been obliged to abandon the position they returned in force and pushed back the French by weight of numbers.

The French took the position for the twefth time and held it for ten hours. Then came a shock of the human battering ram and the French gradually gave way.

The Germans began fortifying the place but while they were engaged in this task the earth heaved and there was a deafening explosion. The ten hours the French held the point had been sufficient to mine every rod of the ground. It is estimated that three German battalliions were annihilated.

The strength of the German positions north of Roye, which facilitated their movements toward Lille is explained by the fact that they were occupying an unfinished canal extending as far as Reisel. The Germans found in the deep, broad cutting magnificent entrenchments.

Officers of the allies say they have noted that only about forty percent of the shells from German guns explode. They say also that the prodigality of their fire apparently has depleted the German supply of ammunition, as the intensity of the fire lately has diminished.

GERMAN STRONGHOLD IS HAILED FOR THE JAPANESE

Refugees Who Reach Peking from Port Declare That Japaneas Losses Will Reach Into the Thousands While German Dead Number Only Few Hundred German Vessel Destroyed.

Peking, China, Oct. 21.—Refugees who have come out of Tsing Tau the fortified position in the German possession in Shan Tung province, are authority for the statement that up to the time they left the Japanese had lost several thousand men before Tsing Tau while the casualties of the Germans did not amount to more than several hundred.

Reliable information obtained in Peking is to the effect that a British detachment sustained a number of casualties while crossing land that had been mined by the Germans in Kiao Chow.

Arrivals at the Chinese capital from Siberia say Russian troops trains are traveling westward over the trans-Siberian Railway hourly.

An uncensored letter received here from a reliable correspondent within the Japanese lines dated October 8, says the Japanese attacked Tsain Tau on several nights but invariably were repulsed. Once, the correspondent says, the Germans followed the Japanese successfully for a short distance.

German Submarine Destroyed.

It was announced officially in Tokio today that the German torpedo boat S-90, which escaped from Tsing Tau under cover of darkness has been found aground and destroyed by the Japanese, at a point sixty miles south of Kiao Chow Bay.

ENGLISHMAN SEES GOOD TIMES AHEAD

Predicts Solution of International Exchange Matter.

AVOID EXPORTING GOLD

Special Adviser to the English Chancellor of the Exchequer, Now in Washington, is Confident of Change.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Problems of international exchange at present worrying the Federal Reserve Board soon will be solved, the balance of trade again will swing to the United States and the payment of immense sums of American gold to England be rendered unnecessary, in the opinion of Sir George Paish, special adviser to the English Chancellor of the Exchequer, now in Washington to discuss foreign exchange conditions with Treasury officials.

"At the present time," Sir George said today, "England, of course, feels that she wants money that is owed her. We have coming from the United States probably more than $200,000,000. The ordinary method of payment is by gold, but in the course of business the balance usually is taken care of by purchases of American securities or by payment for your crops. In view of the present situation in your country, the payment of this large amount of gold now might prove inconvenient, and England was glad to respond to a proposal that the case be talked about and an effort made to find some way of meeting the difficulty.

"I feel sure some way will be discovered here by your Federal Reserve Board and the Secretary of the Treasury and there is no doubt that eventually the balance of trade will again be in your favor."

No Conference Yesterday.

Secretary McAdoo and the Reserve Board were occupied today with the directors and other officials of the 12 reserve banks, who are in Washington for a conference, and had no opportunity for further consultation with Sir George. Mr. McAdoo is suffering from a slight attack of nervous indigestion and probably will not return to his desk for several days. Until then the conference with Sir George, to which New York bankers are to be asked, will not be held.

It became apparent today that the Federal Reserve Board probably would attempt to provide short term interest bearing paper or notes acceptable to the English government in place of actual gold. English bankers, it was said, recently refused to take the obligations of New York City to the amount of $80,000,000 because they were regarded as having too long to run. The English bankers are said to prefer 60 day or 90 day paper.

The Federal Reserve banks probably will be in operation within 30 days and then paper carrying British endorsement may be acceptable to English creditors.

Washington, Oct 20—Marked improvement in the unemployed situation in Great Britain is indicated in official reports made public tonight by the British Embassy. A statement issued at the Embassy said unemployment in municipal trades in October was less than in September, which was "remarkable since unemployment generally is on the increase on the approach of winter."

ARGUMENT BEGUN IN U.S. STEEL CASE

Government Wants Corporation Divided Into Units.

VIOLATES TRUST LAWS.

Long List of Lawyers on Both Sides Will Present to Four Judges Hearing the Case Much Evidence—One Heard Yesterday

Philadelphia, Oct. 20.—Argument in the Federal government's suit to break up the United States Steel Corporation into independent units, on the ground that their combination constitutes a violation of the anti-trust laws, was begun here today before four judges sitting as the United States Court for the District of New Jersey.

Jacob M. Dickinson, former Secretary of War, in charge of the government's case since it was instituted in October 1911, took up the entire day in presenting the prosecution. He reviewed testimony given in the investigations of the Department of Justice, the Federal Bureau of Corporations and congressional committees. Much of this evidence already had been made public.

Mr. Dickinson told the court that the billion dollar corporation, in magnitude and strength is the greatest combination of capital ever brought together under one control. He began his argument by going back more than a score of years into the history of American industries. He told of the sharp competition that existed in the iron, steel, tin plate and kindred industries; of how pools were formed in the steel rail field and how agreements were made among manufacturers of iron and steel to keep up prices; how these pools dried up and agreements were broken; how captains of industry schemed to put one another out of business; how one steel concern would absorb another and gradually led up to the formation of the giant corporation now under attack.

Those at Head of Affairs

Mr. Dickinson told how the five great industrial and financial interests came together and formed the steel corporation in 1901. The five great interests he named were headed by the late J. P. Margan, Andrew Carnegie, W. H. and J. H. Moore, John Gates and Jno. D. Rockefeller. He showed in detail how the steel corporations capital of more than $1,400,000,000 was made up and he charged that more than $500,000,000 of this is water. He also described how the steel corporation kept up prices and charged that it in every way possible restrained trade and crushed competition.

The purchase by the steel corporation of the Tennessee Coal Iron and Railroad Company during the money panic of 1907 in which President Roosevelt figured also was touched on by Mr. Dickinson. He said the steel corporation did not purchase the Tennessee stock from the New York brokers, who were said to be in financial trouble, through any patriotic motives to prevent the panic from spreading, but to get control of the company. Mr. Dickinson made no reference to former President Roosevelt, but is the brief held by the government it was set out that the representatives of the steel corporation woh went to Washington the Tennessee stock from the New York brokers, had deceived the President as to the amount of stock held by the New York firm.

Richard V. Lindabury, of Newark, N. J., will open the argument for the steel corporation tomorrow after Mr. Dickinson concludes. There is a long list of lawyers to be heard.

SHIPPERS OBJECT TO RATE INCREASE

European War No Cause for Demand of Roads.

ALL OTHERS AFFECTED.

Reasons Advanced by Railroads as Cause for Increase in Freight Rates Hurt Other American Industries Equally.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Counsel for shippers took the position before the Interstate Commerce commission today that no condition fronts American railroads, as a result of the European war or any other cause, that does not promise cotton relief proposal under dustry. This contention was the basis for rigid cross examination of witnesses called by the eastern railroads to support their petition for a five percent increase in freight rates.

Members of the commission frequently questioned witnesses closely. The when the House Rules committee rethe policy of the railroads of maintaining their dividends without respect to the financial straits in which they now profess to find themselves, received special attention from Commissioner Meyers. Questioning both Daniel E. Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad and Frederick W. Straus, of the New York banking house of W. and J. Seligman, Mr. Meyers asked to draw their profits part in improvements of the properties and part in cash. Both insisted that reduction of dividends would impair credit of the lines.

Commissioner Meyers said he had heard of no proposal to start a "Buy a share of railway stock" movement. He asked Mr. Straus if the statements of witnesses for the railway as to the prospects for railway securities were in his opinion calculated to make such a movement popular.

Stockholders Bought Income.

Commissioner Meyers then asked if the witness did not believe a clientage of stockholders could be built up who would look upon property improvements as a part of their legitimate dividends. Mr. Straus thought not.

"Then, the average stockholder in your opinion," asked the commissioner, "buys income, not property."

"He has little personal pride in the property," was the reply. "It is too remote from him. He is interested in what he gets out of his investment."

During the cross examination of Mr. Willard, Commissioner McChord pointed out that the proposed five percent increase would realize about $50,000,000 and asked if this would accomplish the correction of all the oppressive conditions of which the carriers complained.

"The idea is that this $50,000,000" the commissioner said, "will put the railroad on their feet and improve business in the country."

"The country seems to be arguing in favor of this increase. I see it in the press and petitions which reach the commission and in reports from other parts of the country."

"I have not spoken for the country," said Mr. Willard.

The only other witness of the day was Charles Conant, of New York, who appeared as an expert for the carriers to describe conditions in the money market arising from the European war. He predicted that the railroads would find new capital hard to get and said increased earning capacity was imperative.

Vigorous Examination.

Mr. Conant was subjected to vigorous cross examination. Counsel for the commission asked if the probable advance in interest rates he predicted would not bear equally as hard on shippers seeking new capital as on the railroads. The witness said American securities other than railroad already paid higher rates of interest but admitted after much discussion that the shippers would face the same conditions.

"What remedy for these conditions do you suggest" he was asked.

"So far as the railroads are concerned, permit them to increase revenues."

"Would that apply to all industries?" persisted counsel.

"That's too broad a question" said the witness.

"Would it help the cotton industry to raise the price of cotton?" saked Clifford Thorne, representing numerous shippers' organizations.

"Not at this moment" said the witness.

Mr. Thorne asked if the witness knew of any public utility company that had requested permission to advance it's rate because of the financial sitation.

"I could not say as to that," answered Mr. Conant.

Commissioner Clements asked about Mr. Conant's qualifications as an expert on finance. Mr. Conant said he had advised several governments as to the reorganization of the monetary system, and his counsel stated a full record of his qualifications appeared in the earlier hearing of the advance rate case.

Employed by Railroads.

"Have you been employed by the railroads in this case?" asked the commissioner.

"Certainly" the witness replied.

When Mr. Straus took the stnad his counsel asserted the bankers had asked to be heard and appeared entirely independent of the carriers. The witness declared his purpose was to lay before the commission the effect of the war on roalroal securities, which he said were the standred of American securities abroad. The foreign investor, he said, must be assured that his investments would continue to yield him good returns, that the values of those securities would be maintained or a tremendous gold movement to Europe would result. He said he made neclaim that the advance in rates to the railroads would accomplish that by itself; but insisted it was all that the commission could do and was the immediate and pressing need.

HUMANIZATION OF THE LAW IS WILSON'S PLEA

Chief Executive and Other Prominent Men Urge Improvement of Law from Within to Stem Present Tide of Popular Criticism, Before the American Bar Association in Session at Washington.

LAWYERS SHOULD APPLY RULES OF EVIDENCE WITH MORE COMMON SENSE

Incorporation of More Justice and Less Citations in Legal Cases is the Cure in President's Estimation—Taft Emphasizes the Necessity of Removing Delays in Litigation—Others Speak.

Washington, Oct. 20—Improvement of the law from within to stem the present tide of popular criticism was the keynote of the first day's session of the American Bar Association here.

President Wilson in his address of welcome, pleaded for the humanization of the law by incorporation of more justice and less citations in legal cases. Former President Taft, speaking to the judges of the country, gathered for the first time in the history of the country in formal meeting, emphasized the necessity for removing delays in litigation. Associate Justice McReynolds, of the Supreme Court, urged the judges to give more attention to public opinion.

At tonight's session of the bar association proper, Senator Elihu Root, in speaking of "The Laymen's Criticism of the Lawyer," suggested lawyers should apply the rules of evidence with more regard to common sense, and might well avail themselves of expert assistance.

The day's program concluded tonight with a banquet at which Chief Justice White, of the Supreme Court, was host. Reports of committees and a pilgrimage to Mount Vernon will feature tomorrow's program.

Before the judicial section, former President Taft, in his second speech of the day, said he felt at home, although there had been an "intervening purgatory" since he himself was a judge. He told the judges that uniformity in decisions was quite as important as individual justice.

Stenographers Delay Cases

Mr. Taft suggested that dependence on stenographers had led to much delay in the disposition of cases. He urged that most cases in the trial courts be disposed of at the end of arguments.

Justice McReynolds, in urging the judges to become greater affirmative forces in the enforcement o fthe law, said delays in courts frequently robbed cases of the fruits of the decision. As Attorney General, the justice said, he started out with the idea that he would conduct the government's business as that of a private client. He soon found he was mistaken, he declared, and became convinced the thing to do was to give the public a fair idea of what he intended to do and a judicious notion of what success was being attained as he proceeded. In some way, he added, the judges should give to the people an idea of what they are seeking to accomplish and how they are succeeding.

"In some such way we may turn the tide of opposition to the judiciary of the last ten years," he concluded, "and find ourselves once more intrenched in the confidence of the people."

The judicial section discussed the part judges might well take in reference to legislation affecting the courts. Governor Baldwin, of Connecticut, addressed the Comparative Law Bureau, and Edmund Wetmore, of New York, spoke to the patent section on "Some Present Aspects of the Patent Law."

President Wilson in his address said the world was now "stirred to its depths" but that the best course for an nation to pursue was the disinterested part. He added that the unsettled world conditions made a good time for freeing the law from the dry consideration of cold precedents and injecting into it more of the viewpoint of justice for the ordinary man.

Peculiar Situation

"We stand now in a peculiar case", the President continued.

"We know that we see in international law, as it were, the moral processes by which law itself came into existence. I know that as a lawyer I have myself at times felt that there was no real comparison between the law of a nation and the law of nations, because the latter lacked the sanction that gave the former strength and validity. And yet if you look into the matter more closely, you will find that the two have the same foundations and that these foundations are more evident and conspicious in our day than they ever have been before. The opinion of the world is the mistress of the world; and the processes of international law and the slow processes by which opinion works, its will.

"What impresses me is the constant thought that that is the tribunal at the bar of which we all sit. I would call your attention, incidentally to the circumstances that it does not observe the ordinary rules of evidence, which has some times suggested to me that the ordinary rules of evidence has shown some signs of growing antique.

"Everything, rumor included, is heard in this court, and the standard of judgment is not with regard to the character of the testimony, but the character of the witness. The motives are disclosed, the purposes are conjectured that opinion is finally accepted which seems to be not the best founded in law perhaps, but the best foundation in integrity of character and of morals. That is the process which is slowly working its will upon the world, and what we should be watchful of is not so much jealous interests as sound principles of action.

Disinterested Course the Best

"Thedisinterested course is always not only the biggest course to pursue but it is, in the long run, the most profitable course to pursue. If you can establish your character, you can establish your credit.

"What I want to suggest to this association is whether we sufficiently apply these same ideas to the body of municipal law which we seek to administer. The changing of law by statute seems to me like mending a garshould grow by the life to think that the law did not derive its impulse from looking forward rather than from looking backward, or rather, that it did not derive its instruction from looking about and seeing what the circumstances of man actually are and what the impulses of justice necessarily are.

"Understand me, gentlemen, I am not venturing in this presence to impeach the law. But I do wish to make this intimation, that in this tome of world change, it is worth while looking inside our municipal law and seeing whether the moral judgments of man kind are made square with every one of the judgments of the law itself. For I believe that we are custodians, not of commands, but of a spirit. We are custodians of the spirit of righteousness, of the spirit of equal-handed justice, of the spirit of hope which believes in the perfectibility of the law with the perfectibility of human life itself.

"You cannot go any faster than you can advance the average moral judgments of the mass, and you can go, at least, as fast as that. I have dealt with all sorts and conditions of men, and I have found that the flame of moral judgment burned just as bright in the man of humble life and limited experience as in the scholar and the man of affairs."

PROSECUTION WILL COMPLETE CASE OF MRS. CARMAN TODAY.

Charged With Murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey Last Winter.

Mineola, N. Y., Oct. 20.—The prosecution's case against Mrs. Florence Conklin Carman, on trial here for the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey, will be completed tomorrow. District Attorney Lewis J. Smith announced this tonight after a day spent in drawing from a score of witnesses circumstantial evidence by which he says he hopes to link Mrs. Carman directly with the commission of the crime.

Many of today's witnesses were called to establish the alleged motive as jealousy. One was Mrs. Elizabeth Varance, a trained nurse, whose face Mrs. Carman slapped when she saw Dr. Carman give her money and allow her to kiss him, it was testified. Another was Gaston Boissannault, manager of a company that sold the wife a "mechanical eave dropper" for her to hear what went on in her husband's private office when women patients were there.

A new fact was developed which the prosecution seemed to consider important. Physicians who performed the autopsy upon the body of Mrs. Bailey testified she would have become a mother had she lived.

Two star witnesses will testify tomorrow. One is Celia Coleman, the negro maid, and the other is Frank Farrell, unemployed engineer. Farrell's story is that he was at the back door of the Carman house at the time of the shooting. He is quoted as saying he saw Mrs. Carman run into the house fro mthe side yard directly after he heard the crash of breaking glass and the report of a revolver shot.

TRAFFIC IS RESUMED.

Slide in Panama Canal Was Not So Bad as atFirst Feared.

Washington, Oct. 20—Traffic through the Panama Canal was resumed today after being blocked a week by a landslide into Culebra Cut. Colonel Goethals said in a cablegram tonight that nearly a dozen merchant vessels were waiting at each end of th ewaterway and that he would require two days to put them all through.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 20.—Vanderbilt had little trouble in defeating the light Central of Kentucky football team here today, 59 to 0. Fullback Coleman, of the visiting team, suffered concussion of the brain and tonight his condition is regarded as serious.

HOPE TO FINISH BY END OF THIS WEEK

Prospects Brighter for Adjournment of Congress.

OFFER TO COMPROMISE.

House Considers Compromise Cotton Relief Proposal While War Tax Measure is Allowed to Go to Conference—Fight.

Washington, Oct. 20.—While a compromise cotton relief proposal under consideration in the House and a joint conference committee at work on the war tax bill, the tangled legislative situation cleared slightly today and hope of adjournment of Congress by Saturday again was felt.

Cotton forces in the House, which had been holding up the revenue bill to force relief legislation, gave way when the House Rulse committee reported a special rule for consideration of the Lever cotton warehouse bill and the Glass bill authorizing acceptance of 100 percent commercial paper as a basis for Federal Reserve currency. The rule carried a special amendment to the Glass bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to deposit in coton and tobacco states $250,000,000 two percent government notes maturing January 1, 1916.

With the understanding that this proposal was to be considered in the House, the cotton states representativs allowed House leaders to send the war revenue bill to conference. The conference session ran well into the night and all undisputed sections of the bill were agreed on.

Opposition to Ian.

The cotton relief plan met with opposition as soon as it appeared in the House. When the rule was called up a point of no quorum by Representative Bulkely of Ohio, held up further business for three hours while the sergeant at arms struggled to round up enough members to do business. When a quorum was obtained Representatives Mann, Payne and other Republicans and Representatives Glass and Bulkely on the Democratic side denounced the cotton amendment vigorously.

Another tie up came when an effort was made to end debate on the rule, Representative Glass insisting a quorum should be present. A roll call disclosed only 168 members and the House finally adjourned.

An effort will be made to bring up the cotton proposel tomorrow, although under House rules Wendesday must be devoted to consideration of the calendar.

Representative Payne, attacking the cotton proposal, declared that if every part of the country "in distress as a result of the war is to be helped from the Federal treasury, no $250,000,000 will suffice."

The relief of the South, he asserted, was a private matter and should be left to private resources.

COL. ALSTON GRIMES DEAD.

Was Brother of Secretary of State and Prominent Citizen of Pitt.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, N. C., Oct. 20.—Col. Alston Grimes, of Grimesland, N. C., died this morning at the Washington Hospital, this city, where he was undergoing surgical treatment. Colonel Grimes was the oldest son of the late General Bryan Grimes and brother of Hon. J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State, of Raleigh. He was one of Pitt county's most prosperous and influential citizens, and had hosts of friends all over the State.

He is survived by a heart-broken wife, an aged mother, three brothers, and two sisters. The funeral services will be conducted from St. Peter's Episcopal church, this city, tomorrow morning at 11:30 o'clock, and the interment will take place at the family burying ground in Grimesland. Colonel Grimes was 49 years of age.

BAILEY IN NEWBERN

Collector of Internal Revenue Heard by Large Audience Last Night.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., Oct. 20.—Hon. J. W. Bailey, of Raleigh, made a speech at the court house in this city tonight before one of the largest audiences ever gathered in that building. Democratic Newbern was ably represented and not a one of the several hundred present failed to enjoy Mr. Bailey's remarks.

The speech was a powerful one, full of timely thought and instructive remarks and by many it was adjudged one of the best political speeches ever heard in Newbern.

CHURCH NEARING COMPLETION

News Notes of Interest From Wake Forest College

(Special Star Correspondence)

Wake Forest, N. C., Oct. 19—The work on the new church is pretty well advanced toward completion. The contractors have begun on the trimmings. It will be very beautiful when completed, indeed, one of the prettiest not only in the state but in the south.

Thursday will be a holiday in order that the students may attend the State Fair in Raleigh.

Friday night the 30th following the orations by the Society Day Orators, will be a reception given by the Berean class.

This is always one of the most enjoyable events during the year for the students. Several young ladies of Oxford and Meredith colleges will be present to add joy to the occasion.

Wake Forest was represented by fifteen young men at the Y. M. C. A. conference held at Elon College Oct. 7-11. The delegates were R. K. Redwine, B. O. Myers, P. H. Wilson, R. L. Maltba, G. F. Strole, C. Thomas, J. K. Hester, H. I. Hester, J. D. Cannady, A. G. Knott, F. T. Wooten, E. L. Morgan, J. H. R. Booth, C. C. Cashwell, V. E. Duncan.

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Speedy Action by New Legislature Will be Sought

Steps to be Taken to Secure Early in New Session Repeal of Long and Short Haul Clause of Justice Act

(Special Star Telegram)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 20—Officials of numbers of the short line railroad companies of this State were in conference here to-day discussing the effects of the "Long and short haul clause" of the Justice intrastate freight rate act on their lines in depriving them of their mainstay in participance in "long haul" freight with main lines competing with direct lines, for business "tapped" by the short road that is now cut out of this business.

The situation was gone into fully and it was the consensus of opinion that the very life of the small roads is sapped unless speedq relief can be obtained. The railroad men called on the Corporation Commission "informally" and went over the situation and it was agreed that relief can only come through action by the Legislature.

In view of this situation, it was decided to create a special legislative committee to marshal complete showing of the facts as to the situation and press the matter of the repeal of the "long and short haul clause" as speedily as posible after the Legislature convenes in January. What is wanted is return to conditions as they existed before the Justice act went into effect October, 13 so far as competitive handling of freights by long and short lines at the same rates is concerned, the long lines not to be required to reduce rates to intermediate points as the Justice act requires.

The railroad officials here included H. P. Edwards, of the Atlantic Western J. F. McNair, Laurinburg, & Southern and A. J. Steed and A. J. McKinnon, of the Maxton, Alma & Southbound; J. L. Hawley, Rockingham Railroad Co., L. C. Parker, Virginia, & Carolina Southern; Mr. Fox, East Carolina Railroad.

SEABOARD SURGEONS COMING TO WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

To Hold Next Annual Meeting Next August—Officers Elected.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Petersburg, Va., Oct. 20.—The Association of Seaboard Air Line Railroad Surgeons, in annual session here today, selected Wrightsville Beach, near Wilmington, N. C., as the meeting place for the next annual meeting, to be held next August. The Association, at its session this afternoon, elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, Dr. M. L. Wood, of Montgomery, Ala.; First Vive-President, Dr. R. L. Harris, of Jacksonville, Fla.; Second Vice-President, Dr. Frank L. Eskeridge, of Atlanta, Ga.; Third Vice-President, Dr. W. A. McPhaul, of Lumberton, N. C.; Secretary and Treasurer, Dr. I. W. Palmer, of Ally, Ga.

Dr. Palmer succeeds himself. Dr. E. H. Terrell, of Richmond, Va., whose term as a member of the executive committee has expired, was elected to succeed himself for the next two years.

KINSTON HAS MORNING PAPER

"The Daily News" Made Its Bow to the Public Yesterday.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 20.—The Daily News, a new morning newspaper made its appearance here this morning. Charles T. Loftin and Wilbur C. Beasley are the editors and William Foss, superintendent of the Carolina Power & Light company, president of the owning company.

ROME BROWN PAYS HIS RESPECTS TO JUDGE CLARK

Says He is as Bad as Any Socialist He Ever Knew

(Special Star Telegram)

Washington, D. C., Oct 20.—Judge Rome Brown, of Milwaukee, paid his respects to Judge Walter Clark today while attending the American Bar Association, which is meeting here this week. Judge Brown was a member of the committee on recall of judges and judical decisions.

He made the statement that Judge Clark was as bad as any Socialist he had ever known and said a few other things which did not sound good to Harry Skinner and J. C. Martin, of Asheville, who finally persuaded Judge Brown not to include his remarks in the report to the full convention.

P. R. A.

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YOUNGEST SON OF GEN. ROBERT E. LEE IS DEAD

Captain Robert E. Lee Passes at His Country Home.

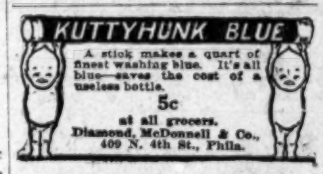
Entered the Civil Army as a Boy and Enlisted as a Private—Was Rapidly Promoted During War Between the States.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Word was received here today of the death of Captain Robert E. Lee, youngest son of General Robert E. Lee, Confederate commander, at Upperville, Va., last night. He had been ill for some time. The body will be interred at Lexington, Va., Friday morning.

Captain Lee was educated in private schools and in the University of Virginia. At the outbreak of the Civil War Captain Lee joined the Rockbridge, (Va.) Artillery as a private. He took part in numerous engagements and was later promoted to the rank of captain of artillery on the staff of his brother, General W. H. F. Lee.

Since the war Captain Lee had been engaged in farming. He was married twice, his first wife was a Miss Haxall and his second wife Miss Juliet Carter of Washington. He leaves two children.

Captain Lee was the author of Recollections and Letters of General Robert E. Lee. He was born at the old Lee Mansion, now part of Arlington National Cemetery, October 20, 1843.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Lv. Lynchburg	2:45 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	6:20 p.m.
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State Department Never so Extensively Represented in Exhibits—McArthur Case to be Argued This Week —Teachers' Assembly.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 20.—Governor Craig declared this morning in opening the fifty-fourth annual State Fair that in North Carolina's advancement the past few years from the twenty-second to the thirteenth place among thestate in the Union in agricultural products the State Fair has been a tremendous factor and the officals of the Fair have wrought splendidly. He declared the State Fair to be an exponent of the progress of the State and a dominent means for the cultivation of the community spirit that is coming to more and more characterize North Carolinians, that the Fair brings the people together for exchange of deas and exhibits products that impress the methods applied by those most successful in all the endeavors of industry. He paid tribute to President Jno. A. Mills, Secretary Pogue and other officers of the Fair.

The opening day crowds were especially large, the weather conditions ideal, and the exhibits and Fair attractions generally of most interesting character, maintaining the highest State Fair standards.

Never before have the State Department been so extensively represented as this year, notably the Department of Agriculture, Department of Education, Department of Health, the State Board of Geological Survey, the A. & M. College and other state institutions. The Department of Agriculture had exhibits by each division and running through the exhibits is the all important sentiment of educating the farmers to raise their own supplies at home. A conspicuous sentence in gold lettering reads "If your corn crib is full the price of cotton need not worry you." There are specimens of North Carolina raised meat, corn and hay and other products and alongside are those imported and not nearly so attractive and the pertinent inquiry "Which do you use?"

There are appropriate exhibits by the food division, division of drainage, veterinary division, division of entomology, the test farm dvision, animal industry division, farmers' institute division, division of agronomy, the horticultural division and the State Museum, the whole installed most harmoniously under the direction of Curator H. H. Brimley of the State Museum.

The overshadowing feature of the exhibits by the health department is the Better Babies contest that is sure to be the biggest sort of a success.

In the opening ceremonies this morning Mr. Albert Cox, of the Rotary Club, introduced President John A. Mills of the Fair Association, and he in turn introduced Governor Craig.

McArthur Case This Week.

The Eighth and Ninth district appeals on a combined calendar were called for argument in the Supreme court this morning, there being 22 cases that will require the attention of the court through Thursday or longer. The most notable cases are the "Milk Trust" case from Wilmington and the McArthur case from Fayetteville.

The McArthur case is Fourth National Bank of Fayetteville vs. Mrs. McArthur, Adam McArthur and others, in which the McArthurs in the trial below won as not liable for $20,000 notes of J. Sprunt Newton on which the endorsements by the McArthurs were held to be not genuine. This is one of a number of suits in State and Federal courts growing out of the failure of The Newton-McArthur Lumber Co., J. Sprunt Newton, manager.

Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and other prominent educators of the State are appealing to Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, of Frankford, Ky., to accept invitations to address the State Teacher's Assembly in Charlotte Thanksgiving Week on her work in Kentucky as the head of the Kentucky illitracy commission and the founder of the Rowan county, Ky., moonlight schools for adult illiterates. It is believed that Mrs. Stewart will be induced to accept.

New Corporation Chartered.

The Aberdeen Tobacco Warehouse Co., of Aberdeen, Moore county, was chartered today with $25,000 capital authorized and $2,500 subscribed by J. R. Page, A. A. Bennett and others for general tobacco warehouse business.

Commissioner of Insurance James R. Young says that during the first nine months of the present year the department has investigated 191 fires that were suspected of being incendiary and developed thirty prosecutions, with nine convictions and three still pending for trial. Of twenty found not guilty, nine were the nine negroes, ministers and laymen of a Buncombe county church indicted for burning the church for insurance and in whose trial the judge declined to non suit and then the acting solicitor decined to prosecute on the ground that he did not care to go to the jury with the evidence although the Judge was ruling that there was evidence for the jury.

MORAN SUCCEEDS DOOIN.

Red Headed Irishman No Longer Manager of Philadelphia Nationals.

Philadelphia, Oct. 20.—The selection of Patrick J. Moran as manager of the Philadelphia National League club to succeed Charles S. Dooin was announced here tonight by Wm. F. Baker, the club's president.

Moran has been with the club since 1910, acting as utility catcher and coach for the pitchers.

It is understood Dooin will remain with the team as a catcher.

CHANGE IN METHODS USED.

False Statements of Income Must be Sent to Washington Hereafter.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The internal revenue bureau of the Treasury Department tonight notified collectors that hereafter income tax returns supposed to be false must be sent to Washington for investigation. It announced also that licensed firms, persons or corporations first receiving foreign items for collections shall withhold the normal tax of 1 per cent and will be responsible therefor. Proper notification must be indorsed on such items, thereby relieving subsequent holders or purchasers from withholding the tax.

ARMY-NAVY GAME A CERTAINTY.

Philadelphia the Place and November 28th, is the Date Set.

Washington, Oct. 20.—An agreement binding West Point and Annapolis to play an annual Army-Navy football game for five years and specifying Franklin Field, Philadelphia, as the place for this season's contest and November 28th as the date was announced tonight by Secretary Garrison, of the War Department, and Lieut. Com. Needham Jones, of the Navy. Both declared this made the playing of this year's game a certainty.

As agreed upon the plan stipulates that the two schools will choose the site for the games alternately, the Navy having the preference this year. The place is not to be north of New York or south of Washington.

Word to West Point.

West Point, N. Y., Oct. 20.—An official statement that the Army and Navy football game will be played this year in Philadelphia was received here tonight.

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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION AND GENERAL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given of the General Election in the County of New Hanover on Tuesday after the first Monday of November, it being the 3rd day of November, 1914.

Said election will be held during the hours and in the manner prescribed by law, and at the places hereinafter named.

Registration books will be opened Monday, October 5th, and remain open until the close of the day of October 25th, for the registration of new voters and the transfer of voters from one Ward or Precinct to another.

Registrars will be in attendance at the polling places of their respective wards and precincts on Saturdays of each week during said registration period.

The polling places and names of the registrars and Judges of Election fixed for the aforesaid election are as follows:

First Ward, First Precinct—Polling place: Fourth Street Bridge. Registrar, W. McD. Evans; Judges, B. C. Moore and James Elkins.

First Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place: Engine House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Registrar, W. H. Howe; Judges, W. H. Northrop, Jr., and Wm. Sheehan.

Second Ward—Polling place: Court House. Registrar, W. W. Hodges; Judges, H. P. Munson and W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward—Polling place: Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets. Registrar, A. G. Hankins; Judges, S. J. Ellis and Coy Hewett.

Fourth Ward—Polling place: McClellan's Stable, on Dock, between Front and Second. Registrar: Geo. P. Howie; Judges, J. O. Reilly and S. Seigler, Sr.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct—Polling place: Front and Queen streets. Registrar, R. Henry Orrell; Judges, Edward Register and Thos. Lossen.

Fifth Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place: Engine House, Sixth and Castle streets. Registrar, T. G. Landen; Judges, W. M. Creasy and W. H. Biddle.

Cape Fear Precinct—Polling place: Johnson's Store, Four and One-Half Mile Post. Registrar, J. Herbert Johnson; Judges, W. D. Rhodes, Jr., and J. W. Winders.

Delgado Precinct — Polling place: Barber Shop. Registrar, R. F. Hall; Judges, W. D. McCaig and W. A. Woods.

Seven Mile Post Precinct—Polling place: Seven Mile Post. Registrar, Jas. N. Shepard; Judges, R. J. Canady and M. O. West.

Seagate Precinct—Polling place: Rodgers' Store. Registrar, John Hines; Judges, G. W. Westbrook and Geo. Rodgers.

Masonboro Precinct — Polling place: Farrar's Store. Registrar, W. Horne; Judges, J. P. Herring and Addison Hewlett.

Federal Point Precinct — Polling place: T. J. Burnett's house. Registrar, H. A. Kure, Sr.; Judges, T. J. Burnett and Hank Williams.

The above notice cancels all other polling places and the changes indicated are hereby published in accordance with law, together with the full list of polling places.

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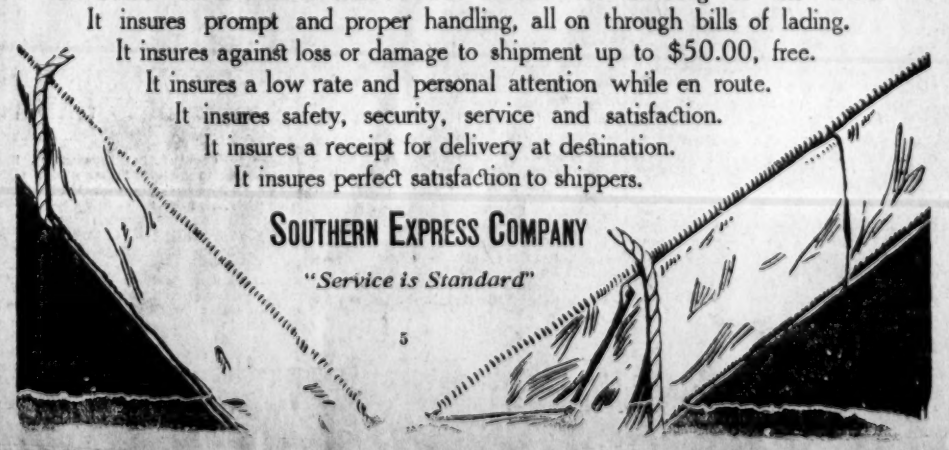

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1914.

If only the war ships could crawl up on land and get into the fray!

In order to keep times from being harder the crop of wild oats will necessarily have to be curtailed.

Taking a few towns don't amount to much. The question is who is taking the worst part of the drubbing.

When a woman's husband is trying to tell a joke she is on pins for fear he will not tell it good enough for her to see the point.

The football season having opened, its first victim is dead and buried, while arrangements are proceeding for the Thanksgiving Day games.

The people are so apparently oblivious to politics that they have to be reminded that the election is to be held in this country just two weeks from now.

Marion Butler has come to light with a communication in which he attacks the Wilson administration. Marion's opposition further evidence that the administration is all right.

The inquiry into Rock Island railroad manipulation shows how one set of financiers can unload on another or on the public in a way to make every dollar invested turn in to five for the manipulators.

The allies say they are satisfied with the war situation. Germany announces that it suits her. The people in the United States don't seem to be satisfied with the situation and would like to have it arbitrated on a satisfactory basis.

A resident or citizen must believe in Wilmington in order to do any pulling for it. We often hear Wilmington criticised for what its citizens fail to do. The critics also are citizens and as they are as much to blame as anybody else for not turning things downside up, they are criticising themselves.

The Comptroller of the Currency under President McKinley says this country faces unparalleled prosperity and that it would be here now but for the war in Europe. He is a Republican, but North Carolina Republicans would not dare to invite him into this State to speak during the campaign.

A Missouri editor threatened to publish the name of a certain young man who was seen with the head of a girl on his shoulder, unless his subscription to the paper was paid in a week. Twenty-seven young men called and paid up, while three wrote the editor to withhold publication till they could come to town and pay for his "valuable paper."

President Wilson wanted to impress upon the European belligerents that we are neutrals, but American papers read in Europe impress all the belligerents with the fact that though this country is not occupying a hostile attitude, the fair and unfair views of the press, some of them characterized by ignorance and misepresentation, convey the idea that we are only nominally neutral.

Colonel Roosevelt has always and often made the charge that he was deprived of the 1912 nomination by theft at the Chicago convention. He has charged the National Republican organization with stealing and as it has never been tried and acquitted, it ought not to ask people to vote the Republican ticket. In the meantime, the people know that the safest thing they can do is to vote the straight Democratic ticket.

Governor Goethals reports that the recent landslide at Culebra Cut will be removed in ten days so vessels may again pass through the Panama Canal. This reminds us to say that we built the canal at enormous cost, pay all the expenses of its operation, and pay for removing all the landslides, yet we are bound up in a treaty to let the ships of all nations pass through on equal terms with our own ships. Economically, the foreigners have the best of us on that deal.

PREPAREDNESS FOR WAR

Despite the disastrous war raging in Europe, the Washington authorities are discussing this country's better preparedness for war. Ninety days ago a prophecy that such a war would be prevailing at this time would have been received with ridicule. It came suddenly, however, through the accumulated causes that had been smouldering for years. The war is here all right, and while the United States may not even dream of having a war on its hands, some other nation may put one up to us at any time as the consequence of the world power ideals that have been harbored for the last quarter of a century.

People in this country blame the European war on militarism. Stated correctly, militarism is being prepared for war, and all the nations have argued in its defense that being prepared for war would prevent war. However, that is not the case, for war would come in spite of the preparedness of any nation. Militarism or preparedness does not necessarily precipitate a war, else Germany might have had several wars during the past forty-four years. She has always been prepared and it is argued that if she had not always been ready for war she might have had war before now. Anyhow, war came despite Germany's preparedness and she can only depend upon that preparedness to make it as short as possible, while the other belligerents rest their chances upon making it a long war.

The war in Europe found all the belligerents prepared for war, and whether they were fully ready or not, they were prepared to fight in sixty days many of the world's bloodiest battles. That is evidence of preparedness. All the belligerents got their armies in the field "like clockwork", which is another thing which shows that they were all up to date on militarism. Yet one's militarism gets the blame, while all should be alike condemned. The Russian avalanche we heard so much about was only proof that Czar Nicholas had a military establishment which many mistaken people thought could overrun Europe.

However, though militarism be condemned, can we blame any country for being prepared? Even now, the United States is strengthening its fighting machines—its Army and its Navy, not because we want to make war but because we want to whip the fight if some nation attacks us or provokes a war-as might be done by some very trivial but unreasonable incident most any old time.

Secretary Daniels is going to recommend to Congress the necessity for more submarines for the navy. We have no doubt his recommendations will be readily granted by Congress. We seem to think a little more navalism, or militarism, which is one and the same, will be a little safer for this country. We have no doubt everybody will approve our own militarism, while condemning the other fellow's yet we may as well get ready and be ready in the event that some of the duffers, most any fool time, might try to run the hog over us.

Representative Gardner recently stirred up the country by introducing a resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to immediately inquire into the preparedness of the United States for war, defensive or offensive. Military critics have said that neither the army nor the navy are prepared for war. The critics should have gone to the War Department and the Navy Department and whispered it as a secret, and Representative Gardner should have conferred with the President and the Cabinet and had the inquiry about our preparedness made on the quiet. Instead, the whole business is made public in Congress, a thing sufficient in itself to show that we are not a military nation. The Germans went quietly to work and built those monster siege guns and nobody knew it, but it is safe to say that if some American had invented such a gun the world would have been told about it by breakfast time the next morning.

However, it is time we were inquiring about the efficiency of our navy. It is said we have good ships always ready for business, but if we had the biggest navy in the world, we don't seem to think we need harbors for it to use as bases in case of necessity. There are none on the South Atlantic or the Gulf. Neither are there coaling stations, and more than that the navy is not supplied with colliers. A few years ago the navy paraded all around the world with a lot of foreign colliers tagging behind with coal. There are a whole lot of things needed to make our navy efficient, and some of the principle ones are bases on the South Atlantic. The navy could anchor inside of the Cape Fear if the Government would deepen the bar. It needs the depth for commerce and it certainly would add to the effectiveness if not the efficiency of the navy.

EXTRA SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE.

Governor Craig is being urged to call an extra session of the General Assembly to take steps to relieve the cotton crisis in North Carolina. He has not expressed himself on the subject and we do not suppose he is in a position to do so until he can seriously consider the matter. The Charlotte News wants a special session and that paper says this in that connection:

"For a second time farmers assembled in Charlotte have earnestly besought the governor to call an extra session of the legislature for the purpose of taking some action for the relief of the cotton situation. Resolutions were adopted here Saturday again asking the governor to act.

"We hear from Raleigh that today the governor will call the council of state together for the purpose of considering the matter. If a situation embodying the present low price of cotton is not sufficient to call for action we can not conceive of any emergency of sufficient gravity to do so. The News on Saturday went into the plan proposed by Senator Bankhead and others for the issuance of state bonds. If the opinion of The News if the legislature might be speedily called together and would take such steps, immediate relief would come to a situation which today is most grave. It is an occasion which calls for action. If the needed help comes it must come from the state itself. Will the governor accede to the demand for a special session?"

We presume that the Governor and the Council of State can best consider whether or not it would be worth while to call the Legislature together. They ought to know whether the State could do anything or not, if an extra session were called. It would not be worth while to call it if the State is not prepared to issue bonds. Even were bonds issued there might be no more market for them than there is for cotton. What then?

WHERE ALL CLASSES EARN.

Says the Greensboro Record: "No use to yell dull times. Try to employ a workman and see if you can find one unemployed." We infer that the workmen of greensboro have employment, else they are so well off they don't have to work. The fact is, Greensboro is an industrial city and it is industries that keep people busy.

That is not all. Factories make earners and producers out of a class of people who otherwise would constitute units of the do-nothing consuming class. Where one portion of a city's population produce and a large proportion consume, the city is bound to live from hand to mouth. Where the number of non-producers is cut down to the minimum a city is bound to become prosperous.

The best assurance of the substantial progress of any city is employment for every class that is capable of earning at least what it consumes. Idlers consume what the busy people of a city produce. Progress and prosperity depend on keeing everybody busy. When labor is scarce it is a good sign for a city, hence Greensboro must be doinng pretty well.

This is a good place to say that all consumers who are non-producers are that much burden to a city. They may be loafers, idlers, or refineed and pretty don't-do-things, yet they have to be fed and clothed, and many are liberal spenders of the earnings of the producers, whether they get theirs in wages, salaries, emoluments, dividents or incomes of whatever description.

This is only an economical fact briefly exploided, and is not intended to reflect on those for whom we work in order that they needn't do a thing.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The Bull Moose party in Duplin county is said to be against the Constitutional Amendments. But the Bull Moose folks are generally wrong.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Sugar refiners, because of the scarcity of burlap bags, are using cotton bags for their product at a higher cost. This buy-a-cotton-bag movement ought also to help in the absorption of the cotton crop.—New York World.

The McGill market is not worrying any about beef cattle. Recently they brought down a carload from Montgomery county, and they report that up that way the pastures have an abundance for all the immediate needs. Hoke County (Ala.) News.

"Vat a pitty". The express charges on a gallon of liquor from Richmond to Greensboro was formerly 60 cents. Now that the State has gone dry, or will be dry, it is only 30 cents under the new rates fixed by the Interstate Commerce Commission.—Greensboro Record.

Sugar is on the down grade. A little while ago when the war was just beginning it was predicted that sugar would go to ten or even 15 cents by Christmas. These predictions of evil were not fulfilled. Is it not a good omen that the predictions of ruinously low prices for cotton will prove groundless? "In the view of not a few experienced cotton merchants," says an article on the market page of the New York Sun, "the lowest prices have already been seen for cotton."—Raleigh News and Observer.

A colored farmer sold cotton here Saturday for seven cents. Before going home he invested in some fresh meat for Sunday. Having a large family and expecting the preacher for Sunday, he had to get a good deal. He bought $2.50 worth, of different cuts. He found that in some instances he had swapped two pounds of cotton for one pound of meat, and in some instances he had swapped three pounds of cotton for one pound of meat. But he also had to have some common fat back to use later on in the week while picking more cotton, and he found that he had to give more than two pounds of cotton for every pound that he got. This is an actual experience that is being multiplied tens of thousands of times in the South every week now. Yet we say there is no market for anything but cotton.—Monroe Journal.

Liver Troubles and Their Cure

Polk Miller's 25 Years' Fame.

For more than twenty-five years the name and fame of our beloved Southerner, Polk Miller, has spread. Mr. Miller was a practical druggist and believed in practical methods of prescribing drugs. His prescription for a liver medicine has indeed become practical and a most safe remedy. Polk Miller's Liver Pills are sold and recommended by thousands of druggists. Calomels and salts are dangerous to the delicate organs. Polk Miller's Liver Pills act gently, removing the deadly bile and secretions quickly and tone up the system, cure biliousness headaches, constipation. Ask your druggists or general store. 10c. box. 2 1-2c free coupon in each box. Free sample on request by writing to Polk Miller Drug Company, Inc., Richmond, Va.

HEADACHES

Thousands of men and women suffer from headaches every day, other thousands have headaches every week or every month, and still others have headaches occasionally, but not at regular intervals. The best doctor is often unable to find the cause of many of these headaches, and in most other cases, knowing the cause, he does not know what will remove it, so as to give a permanent cure. All he can do is to prescribe the usual pain relievers, which give temporary relief, but the headache returns as usual, and treatment is again necessary. If you suffer from headaches, no matter what their nature, take Anti-kamnia Tablets, and the results will be satisfactory in the highest degree. You can obtain them at all druggists in any quantity, 10c worth, 25c worth or more. Ask for A-K Tablets.

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Sick-headache, the most miserable of all sicknesses, loses its terrors when A-K Tablets are taken. When you feel an attack coming on, take two tablets, and in many cases, the attack will be warded off. During an attack take one A-K Tablet every two hours. The rest and comfort which follow, can be obtained in no other way.

Genuine A-K Tablets bear the AK monogram. At all druggists.

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THIS WEEK

at Rehder's Big Department Store

These prices will hold good for the week only. This Sale brings opportunities unsurpassed in value giving, and just at the time when we want our dollars to stretch farthest.

Remember that prices are for week only.

$1 ALARM CLOCKS, 49c. good time piece, nickeled, alarm clock; every one fully guaranteed.

ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS, 49c. Best $1.00 Rust-proof, low bust, long skirt and back; perfect fit.

10c WHITE HANDKERCHIEFS, 10 FOR 49c. Men's plain white hemmed Handkerchiefs, made of fine cotton goods, 10c values, a bargain.

MEN'S 25c SILK SOCKS, 3 PAIR FOR 49c. Men's solid color Silk Half Hose; black, white, navy, helio, purple, grey and tan.

7 YARDS 10c GINGHAMS, FOR 49c. Fine plain and stripe Dress Ginghams, beautiful and fast colors; full 10c values.

35c HAIR RIBBON 2 YARDS FOR 49c. Extra heavy, wide, beautiful colors and patterns; extraordinary values.

75c DRESSER SCARFS FOR 49c. Fine quality one and half yards long. Linen Lace, all round and across; splendid value.

75c OSTRICH FEATHERS FOR 49c. Assorted colors, stand-up effect; several styles to select from.

65c CRIB BLANKETS FOR ONLY 49c. Pink and blue, with rabbits, teddy bears and other patterns; great values.

75c UNDERSHIRTS, 49c. Extra heavy fleece Lambsdown and Wooltex Underwear, Shirt or Drawers.

FOR 49c. 75c FLOOR OIL CLOTH, 2 yards wide; extra quality; several patterns; a bargain.

65c MATTING RUGS FOR 49c. 72x36-inch woven Japanese Matting Rugs; blue and red.

75c TABLE NAPKINS, 49c Cut and hemmed Mercerized Doilies; large sizes; splendid values.

75c UMBRELLAS, 49c. Boxwood handles, black cotton top; guaranteed stainless; fully worth 75c.; only 2 to a customer.

$1.50 AND $2.00 BLACK VELVET SAILOR HAT, FOR 97c. Extra special for Monday, new black velvet Hat, trimmed with aigrettes, regular $4.98 values; one day only, each $2.98

10c BLEACHING, 8 YDS. FOR 49c. Good quality yard wide bleached Cotton Muslin.

10 YARDS 7c BLEACHING FOR 49c. Yard wide fine Cotton Muslin.

8 YDS. 8c SEA ISLAND, FOR 49c. Yard wide Unbleached Sea Island Homespun; extra special value.

75c WOOL SERGE, 49c. 50-inch Wool Serge, black and navy, greatest value ever offered here in Dress Goods.

75c CREPON SILK, AT 49c 36-inch fancy color Silk Crepe Effect, colored figures; also Moire Effect, in several colors.

75c KNITTED WOOL SKIRTS, 49c. The close fitted Zephyr Knitted Underskirt. Several colors.

75c READY-TO-WEAR HAT, 49c. Misses' and Children's Hat, suitable for school girls; all colors and wonderfully cheap.

75c OXFORD SWEATER, FOR 49c. Men's Grey Coat Sweater, usually sell for good deal more.

75c OUTING GOWNS, 49c Full size; neat patterns, well made; close, high neck; long sleeves.

75c MUSLIN GOWNS, 49c Good quality white Muslin, made up nicely; high or low neck; short or long sleeves; extra value.

Ladies' Fine Ribbed 50c Union Suits; This Week, 39c.

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$4.00 and $4.50 GOODS

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BIG SHOE SALE

ELY'S CREAM BALM OPENS CLOGGED NOSTRILS AND HEAD—CATARRH GOES

Instantly Clears Air Passages; You Breathe Freely. Nasty Discharge Stops, Head Colds and Dull Headache Vanish.

Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

Are You Prejudiced?

Read!

Pure food authorities of highest degree testify to the merits of oleomargarine. The following quotations are typical:

"Perfectly pure, wholesome and palatable."—Prof. J. W. L. Arnold, professor of Physiology, University of New York.

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ATTORNEY GENERAL SPEAKS THIS EVENING

Hon. T. W. Bickett Will Deliver Campaign Address

Noted Democratic Orator to Lead Off Campaign Argument at Court House Tonight at 8 O'clock—Speaking in Brunswick

Hon. T. W. Bickett, Attorney General of North Carolina, will deliver the first speech of the present campaign in Wilmington this evening at 8 o'clock, when he will speak at the court house on the principles of Democracy and the record of the present administration. Known as one of the leading orators of the State, and intimately acquainted with North Carolina's history, politically and otherwise, Mr. Bickett, is doing a big share in the present campaign, and he has been heard by large crowjds all over the State. He is one of the strongest champions of the proposed Constitutional Amedments. He is well known here, having been heard at the closing of the graded schools several years ago and also at the convention of the North Carolina Press Association at Wrightsville Beach the past summer.

The Attorney General will arrive at noon from Bellhaven, where he spoke last night, and will be met at the union station by Jos. W. Little, Esq., chairman of the Democratic County Executive Committee, and other prominent Democrats, and escorted to his hotel. After dinner he will be taken to Wrightsville Sound for an oyster roast.

The return to the city will be made in time for supper, and the speaking will begin at 8 o'clock. Chairman Little will preside over the meeting and introduce the speaker.

The following citizens have been invited to occupy seats on the platform with the speaker: J. A. Taylor, M. J. Corbett, Walker Taylor, W. P. Stacy, C. H. Huband, Z. W. Whitehead, Woodus Kellum, Marsden Bellamy, John D. Bellamy, M. W. Divine, J. O. Reilly, J. O. Carr, Judge Geo. Rountree, W. F. Jones, C. C. Loughlin, B. A. Merritt, D. N. Chadwick, Jr., P. Q. Moore, T. W. Wood, Geo. Harriss, J. J. Furlong, H. R. Aiken, W. E. Lawson, S. P. Cowan, W. H. Sprunt, H. Mc L. Green, Thos. W. Davis, J. G. L. Gieschen, J. W. H. Fuchs, B. C. Moore, L. Stein, H. C. McQueen, J. M. Solky, C. E. Taylor, Jr., L. W. Moore, M. S. Willard, W. A. McGirt, J. T. Kerr, W. E. Yopp, J. A. Orrell, John Haar, W. N. Harriss.

Tomorrow Mr. Bickett will go to Southport, where he will speak tomorrow evening. He will return to Wilmington Friday and leave that afternoon for Whiteville, to speak there Friday night. Chairman Little will accompany the Attorney General to Whiteville, and will also make an address there.

Speaking in Brunswick

Chairman Little and Mr. W. B. Cooper, Democratic nominee for State Senator from this district, returned to the city yesterday morning from Mill Creek, near Bolivia, Brunswick county, where they attended a meeting Monday night and made short addresse behalf of the Democratics in Brunswick and the State. There were present a number of candidates of both parties in Brunswick and all made short talks. In addition to Messrs. Little and Cooper those who spoke were Geo. H. Gray, Democrat, and John J. Jenrette, Republican, candidates for register of deeds; Sheriff John Robinson, Candidate to succeed himself; Capt. J. J. Adkins, Democrat, and Mr. Hewett, Republican, candidates for the Lower House.

Siding at Kirkland

At the request of the Board of County Commissioners the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad has put in a temporary siding at Kirkland, 10 miles from Wilmington and two miles from Scott's Hill. A force of convicts is now at work improving the Scott's Hill road, and with the new siding at Kirkland, the county is saved two miles on each load in hauling the gravel that is being used in the improvement. Heretofore it has been shipped to Scott's Hill and hauled out from there.

Real Estate Transfers

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Wilmington Beach Corporation to Edgar W. Fuller, for $1 and other considerations, lot No. 9 in Block 3, Wilmington Beach; L. Clayton Grant, Esq., and wife to T. A. Watson, Jr., and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on east line of Eighth, 99 feet south of Marsteller street, 66x150 feet in size.

Convict Camp Moved

The Federal Point Convict Camp has been moved to Mr. Thos. Burnett's place, about two miles from Carolina Beach. The Carolina Beach road has been graded almost up to Mr. Burnett's place, and the change in the camp was made in order to save time in taking the men to and from camp to work. With favorable conditions the grading of this new road is expected to be completed within the next two or three months.

New Farmers' Phone Line.

The Southern Bell Telephone Co., is rapidly extending its service to every part of the county and there was perhaps never a time when communication with even the most remote sections was more possible. The development especially in the Castle Haynes section had been remarkable. A new farmers' line has just been established in that section the subscribers thus far being Messrs. H. A. Rau, D. A. Cameron, Castle Haynes Stave Co., W. S. Cooper, Holland Nurseries and E. R. Jones.

VEGETABLES ON BEACH.

Fine Cucumber Specimen on Display at Tidewater Company Offices.

Wrightsville Beach has never yet laid claim to any special advantages in agricultural resources, but there is now on display in the windows of the Tidewater Power Company a cucumber raised on the southern end of the island by one of the "enterprising young famers" living near Station 5, the aforesaid "cuke" being 11 1-2 inches in length and weighing two and a quarter pounds. Modesty of the "young agriculturist," forbids a mention of his name, but the cucumber is in the window to show for itself and rumor has it that not only have "cukes" been raised with success on the beach, but watermelons also do well there.

Over on "the Hammocks," just this side of Banks Channel, quite a variety of vegetables are grown and the land and the climate are said to be exceptionally conducive to early and late growths of most everything.

THE SITUATION IN EUROPE

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chesnutt Return to Savannah—Thinks War Will be Long and Allies Will Win.

Among the Americans abroad at the outbreak of the European war and among those who remained in the war region longest, therefore having the better opportunity of observing conditions there, were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chesnutt, of Savannah, Ga., Mr. Chesnutt being a prominent naval stores factor at Savannah and a brother of Mr. George W. Chesnutt, of this city.

Mr. Chesnutt returned to Savannah Sunday and after his sojourn of three and a half months in Europe, he gave to The Morning News some vivid impressions of conditions abroad. Much of their traveling was done under most trying circumstances; they had to undergo many hardships in getting from one point to another after the war broke out and part of their baggage was lost. It is Mr. Chesnutt's impression, gathered in the belligerent countries, that the war has only begun. He predicts that the allies will defeat Germany eventually, but that it will take them a long time. The countries lined up against Germany, with their tremendous resources, are almost impregnable, he says, and there is little hope of German victory. Mr. and Mrs. Chesnutt began a tour of Europe with Ireland and Scotland early in June. From London they proceeded liesurely to Brussels, arriving there the last of July. Three days were spent in Brussels and then they went to Berlin. Speaking of Berlin and the German nation, Mr. Chesnutt said to the News:

"Children are brought up in a military atmosphere; go where you may the 'emblems of peace' are soldiers and guns. We saw this while in Berlin when war was declared between Austria and Servia. The whole of Germany was ready to fight for her sister country—Austria. We found it difficult to get out of Berlin and reach Dresden on account of the excitement and the mobilization of troops, who occupied a large part of the transportation facilities. We finally did reach Dresden, however, and remanined there for two days. War and rumors of war were widly discussed.

"We had great difficulty in getting from Dresden to Carlsbad. When we arrived there Austria had ordered the mobilization of her soldiers, many of whom were in Berlin and Dresden. You should have seen the exodus from these places. We found that about 60,000 of the tourists were departing from Carlsbad, so we left as quickly as possible. On July 29 it was reported that hostilities had begun. The government had instructed the railroads leading to Carlsbad to inform the public that on the following day and thereafter all trains would be needed for transporting soldiers and that no more tickets would be sold.

"You can imagine the stir that was created. Usually in our travels we had seen as many people going in one direction as another, but here they were all going one way, taking the first train they could get out, and the hotels which had 75,000 guests three days before looked destered at that time. We didn't feel like being quarantined there, so we left on the 30th for Munich. We had intended to go from there to Vienna, Venice and other points, but found it impossible on account of the war and abandoned our plans.

Carlsbad a Scramble.

"Trunks and baggage of every description were piled up in the depots at Carlsbad and in the street and it was pouring rain. People were scrambling in the worst sort of fashion. Finially we got on a train leaving for Munich, but had to stand up half of an all-day trip. Although we had a through ticket we had to change cars and handle our baggage the best we could. No one could understand our language, nor could we understand the jabber of the people with us. Finally we jammed into a compartment with a gentleman and his wife who could speak a little English, and the balance of our journey to Munich was more pleasant. There we rested for a few days.

"We would have remained longer. But news came that Russia was mobilizing her six million soldiers; then Germany got lively at once, for she had been preparing and was ready for war. The first thing we knew war had been declared among nearly all of the nations of Europe.

"Travelers holding letters of credit or American Express receipts could not get them cashed. Food was getting scarce every day, so much being required to feed the immense armies. Runs on banks were not uncommon. Hotel help joined the German army by the hundreds. Having spent four days at Munich listening and waiting for more hopeful news it grew worse and worse, and seeing we were about to be shut up in Germany amidst possible hostilities we decided to go to Switzerland.

Swiss Shy of German Money.

"We almost forgot the horrors of war until we reached Munich. There we expected to be quiet and enjoy life for awhile, but lo and behold mobilisation had just begun there also. We remained two days. We had some German money which was not acceptable and upon trying to pay our hotel bill the proprietor would not even take American Express checks.

"So we were in a predicament. We had some German money, as I stated, and with this we visited some of the stores and made small purchases. When the goods were wrapped up we tendered the German money in payment. The shopkeepers would not take it, except at a big discount. We never hesitated, but let them take off that they pleased. What we were after was the return change, in Swiss money, so that we could pay our hotel bill and get enough to buy our tickets to Lucerne and have a little left to buy lunch on our way. We worked this racket until we got enough change to get out of Munich."

Mr. and Mrs Chesnutt visited Berne and were entertained there by the American Minister and Mrs. Stovall. After visiting Germany they got accommodations to France. It was on the journey to Paris that Mr. and Mrs. Chestnutt became separated. Mrs. Chesnutt went on to Paris on a train ahead of Mr. Chesnutt and he joined her there the following morning. With another American lady she was waiting at the station for her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Chesnutt sailed from London Sept. 24 for Montreal on the Ascania.

Bible Class Officers.

Mr. K. W. Price was elected president and Mr. Alva Cowan secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Bible Class for the fall and winter term at the regular Monday evening supper. The elections were by unanimous rising vote and both gentlemen resonded with short talks. The class is now studying the book of the Acts of the Apostles.

MANY ATTEND COLLEGE FROM OLD WILMINGTON

Well Represented at Higher Educational Institutions

Records Show That 78 Graduates and Undergraduates of High School for Past Four Years Are in School Elsewhere.

Probably no city in North Carolina sends more students to the different colleges and higher educational institutions in the State and elsewhere than Wilmington. Mr. John J. Blair, city superintendent of schools, has had compiled a directory showing the names of the graduates and undergraduates of the Wilmington High School for the past four years who are now attending school or college elsewhere. There are 78 names on this list, and doubtless there are also a number of other Wilmington boys and girls away at school whose names are not down on the rolls of the High School.

Superintendent Blair's list, which will be of interest to the public, is as follows:

Members of Class of 1911.

Mr. Leighton Lee Boone, Jr., Georgia School of Technology, Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. Luther Avon Blue, Jr., University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

Members of Class of 1912.

Miss Alice Sawyer, State Normal, Greensboro; Mr. Edwin McIntire, Davidson College, Davidson; Mr. Julian Moore, University of N. C., Chapel Hill; Mr. Harry Shaw, Davidson College, Davidson; Mr. John Laurens Wright, University of N. C., Chapel Hill.

Members of Class of 1913.

Miss Margaret Garvey, Meredith College, Raleigh; Miss Katherine Hammond, Dr. Sargent's Physical Culture School, Cambridge, Mass.; Miss Cornelia Brady, State Normal, Greensboro; Miss Eliza Davis, St. Mary's, Raleigh; Miss Kate Pridgen, State Normal, Greensboro; Mr. Robert Burnett, University of N. C.; Mr. Tom Strange, Mr. John Perdew, Mr. Will Monroe, University of N. C., Chapel Hill; Mr. Kenneth Otten, Roanoke College, Roanoke, Va.; Mr. Archie Warren, Trinity College, Durham; Miss Myrtle Rhodes, Greensboro Women's College, Greensboro.

Members of Class of 1914.

Miss Elizabeth Moore, Randolph Macon, Lynchburg, Va.; Miss Jessie Harper, Randolph Macon, Lynchburg, Va.; Miss Lillian Solomon, Beechwood, Philadelphia, Pa.; Miss Mary Giles Bellamy, Miss Athalia Bunting, Miss Mary Nixon Darden, Hollins, Hollins, Va.; Mr. Charles Wagner, Mr. Dougald MacMillan, University of N. C., Chapel Hill; Miss Ida Horowitz, Western University, Cleveland, O.; Miss , Thelma Brooks Greensboro Woman's College, Greensboro; Miss Gordon Thompson, State Normal, Greensboro; Miss Eliza Collins, Miss Jeanette Glenn, Miss Margaret George, State Normal, Greensboro; Mr. John Thames, Davidson College, Davidson; Mr. LeRoy Polvogt, Roanoke College, Roanoke, Va.; Miss Alice Adkins, St. Mary's School, Raleigh; Mr. Grey Hicks, A. and M. College, Raleigh; Miss Lois Allen, Greensboro Women's College, Greensboro.

Undergraduates.

Miss Lucy Murchison, Fassifern, Lincolnton; Miss Ruth Smith, Miss Allie Fechtig, Hollins Institute, Hollins, Va.; Miss Minnie Plowden, Women's College, Richmond, Va.; Mr. Calvin Wells, University of Mississippi; Mr. Webster Jackson, University of N. C., Chapel Hill; Mr. Virginius Hall, Davidson College, Davidson; Mr. Harriss Alderman, University of N. C., Chapel Hill; Miss Dolores Holt, Fassifern, Lincolnton; Miss Ruthe Pleasants, National Park Seminary, Washington, D. C.; Mr. John French, Westminster, Rutherfordton; Miss Mannie Emerson, Hollins Institute, Hollins, Va.; Miss Mamie Parsley, Fassifern, Lincolnton; Miss Myrtle Voiers, Maryland College; Mr. Martelle Tremain, Westminster, Rutherfordton; Mr. Sam Woolvin, Episcopal High High School, Alexandria, Va.; Miss Catherine Manning, High School, Washington, D. C.; Miss Virginia Milton, Hollins Institute, Hollins, Va.; Miss Elizabeth Pemberton, St. Mary's School, Raleigh; Mr. Nathan Silverman, University of N. C., Chapel Hill; Miss Elizabeth Rountree, Salem College, Winston-Salem; Mr. Earle Thompson, Trinity College, Durham; Mr. Percy Canady, A. and M. College, Raleigh; Miss Sara Hartley, Beechwood, Philadelphia, Pa.; Miss Enda Hatch, Miss Miriam McEachern, State Normal College, Greensboro; Mr. Edwin McClure, Mr. John Bonitz, Mr. Theodore Burr, Mr. William Toon, Mr. Richard Warren, Westminster School, Rutherfordton; Mr. Latham Harriss, Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.; Mr. Maurice Moore, Episcopal High School, Alexandria, Va.; Miss Emily Davis, St. Mary's School, Raleigh; Mr. Horace Cooper, Citadel, Charleston, S. C.; Mr. Donald Parsley, Episcopal High School, Alexandria, Va.; Mr. G. G. Avant, A. and M. College, Raleigh; Miss Agnes MacRae, Walnut Hill, Nedick, Conn.; Mr. Walker Taylor, Jr., Laurenceville, N. J.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT. Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington, N. C.

Springer Coal Company against The Steamer Adriot, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and person, lawfully intervening for their interest therein, in a cause of contract, civil and maritime.

In obedience to Warrant of Seizure to me directed in the above antitled cause, I have seized and taken into my possession the following described property, to-wit:

The Steamer Adriot, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and for the cause set forth in the libel now pending in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington.

I hereby give notice to all persons claiming the said described property, or knowing or having anything to say why the same should not be condemned and forfeited and sold, and the proceeds thereof distributed, according to the prayer of the said libel, that they be and appear before the said court to be held in and for the Eastern District of North Carolina at the City of Wilmington on the 28th day of October, 1914, at 11 o'clock, if the same shall be a day of jurisdiction, there interpose a claim on the same and to make their allegation in their behalf.

W. T. DORTCH,
U. S. Marshal.

By J. N. Fennell, D. M.
October 20, 1914.
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Removal Notice

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE OF LANDS.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by Wilmington Door & Lumber Company to C. N. Evans, President, Trustee, dated March 18th, 1912, and recorded Book 68, page 107, in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, default having been made in the payment of the debt thereby secured, the undersigned will, on Monday, the 9th day of November, 1912, at 12 o'clock M., at the court house door in New Hanover county, expose to sale for cash at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described tracts or parcels of land:

First Tract.

Beginning at a point in the western line of Front street 132 feet North of the northern line of Ann street, running thence northwardly along said western line of Front street 66 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with Ann street to the channel or deep water of the Cape Fear river; thence along said channel or deep water of the Cape Fear River southwardly and parallel with Front street 66 feet to the northern line of Lot No. 5, in Block 125 of said City; thence eastwardly and parallel with Ann street to the western line of Front street, the point of beginning. The same being that tract or parcel of land conveyed by one A. M. Price to Brunswick Wood & Coal Company by deed bearing date January the 4th, 1911, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for New Hanover County, and conveyed by Brunswick Wood & Coal Company to Wilmington Door & Lumber Company, as will appear by reference to the Public Records of New Hanover County.

Second Tract.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Meares street 153 feet east of the eastern line of Fourth street, and running thence along said line of Meares street 33 feet in an eastwardly direction; thence North and parallel with Fifth street 87 feet to the Old Coalfield (Francis Morris) line; thence along said line in a westwardly direction 33 feet; thence aputhwardly and parallel with Fifth street 87 feet to the northern line of Meares street, the point of beginning. The same being part of Lots 5 and 6, in Block 20, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

Third Tract.

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in Cape Fear Township, on the East side, in the County of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a cypress, on the West side of Cat Fish Creek, a small distance above an old field; thence with the lower line or a tract formerly owned by Samuel Ashe, west 220 poles to a cypress on said Cat Fish Creek near its head; thence same course 103 poles to the North West river; thence down the river so as to measure in a due South line 95 poles; thence from said river due East 336 poles to Cat Fish Creek; thence up said creek 56 poles; thence due East 75 poles to a stake on the Sand Hill; thence North 12 degrees West 62 poles; thence West 80 poles to Cat Fish Creek, opposite the Fish Station, containing by estimation 222½ acres, of which Twenty-Five acres is high land.

One tract situate in said County of New Hanover, on the South side of Cat Fish Creek, in the upper part of the bend, beginning at a cypress of the creek between the line of the land which formerly belonged to Samuel Ashe and Thos. C. Reston; thence with their line East 84 poles to the corner of said Ashe's line, or rather his old center ditch; thence with said Center Ditch North 2 poles; thence East 30 poles to the corner by the side of the Creek; thence West to the Creek and thence up the Creek to the beginning, containing 9½ acres.

One tract situate in said County of New Hanover, on said North West River and Cat Fish Creek.

Beginning on the River, on the lower corner of the tract, on said Creek first above described; thence East 40 poles; thence South 129 poles to the River; thence up the River to the beginning, containing 60 acres of Tide Swamp.

Also eight acres of Sand Hill, situate in said County of New Hanover, on Cat Fish Creek.

Beginning on the Creek at what was formerly known as the Reston lower corner; thence down the creek 20 poles; thence East and back adjoining the western line for its complement. The last mentioned Four tracts of land, described under "Third Tract" herein being the same lands conveyed by E. P. H. Strunch and wife to Brunswick Wood & Coal Company by deed bearing date June 12, 1909, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for New Hanover County, in Book 58, page 458 et seq., and reference is hereby made to said deed for the description therein contained, and the same being conveyed by the Brunswick Wood & Coal Company to the Wilmington Door & Lumber Company, by proper deed of conveyance, as the Public Records of New Hanover County will show.

The foregoing tracts of land will be sold separately, except as to those tracts lying on or near Cat Fish Creek, which latter tracts will be offered separately and as a whole.

Dated and posted this 7th day of October, 1914.

C. N. EVANS, President,
Trustee.

Robert Ruark, Attorney.
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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Ada Bramble, was registered at the Imperial yesterday.

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Miss Pearl Andrews left yesterday for Wilson to enter the Atlantic Christian College.

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Mrs. R. H. Murphy, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her mother, Mrs. B. F. Boykin, at No. 514 Princess street.

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Mrs. J. L. Solomon and children are spending some time quite pleasantly in Louisville, Ky., guests of relatives and friends.

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Miss Mamie C. Nathan of Wilmington, a sister of Mr. Marx S. Nathan, is here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan."

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mrs. Z. Moisno, of Newbern, and Mrs. O'Neill, of Wilmington, are the guests of Mrs. W. T. Utley on Newbern avenue."

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and observer: "Mrs. S. P. Cowan, of Wilmington, is visiting Miss Mary Horton.—— Mrs. Albert Bretsch, of Wilmington, is visiting Mrs. M. B. Partin.

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Mrs. E. A. Yopp was operated on at the James Walker Memorial Hospital Monday. She is reported as doing well and friends will wish for her a speedy restoration to health.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Peschau have returned from Marietta, Ga., where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Peschau's sister, Miss Rosa Dwight Willingham, and Mr. Richard L. Meares, of this city.

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Mr. A. B. VanBuren has returned from a stay of some time in New York. Mrs. VanBuren and child, who accompanied him, returned to Richmond and will spend some time visiting relatives in Richmond before returning home.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Mrs. Armand de Rosset Myers and son, Mr. Armand de Rosset, Jr., spent the week-end as guests of Mayor Charles A. Bland and Mrs. Bland, at their home on South Myers street. Mr. Myers returned home last night after spending several days in Wilmington."

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The Music Department of North Carolina Sorosis will hold its first meeting for the fall in the Sorosis building on North Third street this morning at 11 o'clock. All members are urged to be present, especially those on the music committee for the Floral Fair and Corn Show.

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The Senior Epworth League of Trinity Methodist Church was most delightfully entertained last evening by Miss Willie Thigpen at her home at No. 202 North Ninth street. Various interesting games and contests were the means of amusing the guests throughout the evening, and ice cream, cake and fruits were served. A large number of the members of the Senior League were present, and the occasion was a most enjoyable one to all.

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Plans for the Halowe'en entertainment to be given at the Y. W. C. A. on the evening of October 31st were adopted at a meeting of the membership committee, of which Mrs. J. B. Rice is chairman, held yesterday morning. The interior of the Y. W. C. A. will be appropriately decorated and delicious refreshments will be served. Halowe'en games will be played and a real fortune teller, Madame Goleski, has been secured for the occasion. The entertainment is open to the public and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

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Mrs. W. L. Beery, one of the delegates from Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C., to the State convention at Raleigh last week, gave a very interesting account of the convention to the members of Cape Fear Chapter at the regular monthly meeting Mondoy afternoon. Another feature of the meeting was the presentation of a portrait of Jefferson Davis to the chapter by Mrs. James R. Kenan. The wreath committee for the month was appointed as follows: Mrs. E. M. Gregg, chairman; Mrs. D. H. Penton and Mrs. Atha Hicks.

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The Women's Exchange to be conducted in the Sorosis building on North Third street will be opened this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and for the present will be kept open on Wednesday and Saturday afternoon. When the demand is great enough it will be kept open every day. All kinds of fancy work, cooking dainties, etc., will be sold, Sorosis charging a small commission. Saturday afternoon cakes, home made candies, ginger bread, salads, etc., will be on sale. The exchange promises to become one of the most popular features of the Sorosis building.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Meares have arrived in the city after their wedding tour, and are at home at No. 408 Market street. They were married at Marietta, Ga., the home of the bride, October 6th, and spend their bridal tour visiting several cities in Georgia and Florida. They attended last Thursday the wedding of Mrs. Meres, brother, Mr. Harold Willingham, and Miss Elizabeth Wylly, at Darien, Ga. Mrs. Meares was the matron of honor. Mrs. Meares, before her marriage, was Miss Rosa Dwight Willingham, a sister of Mrs. Geo. L. Peschau, of this city. She has visited in Wilmington a number of times and has a host of freinds here who will welcome her as Mrs. Meares.

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Davidson, N. C., Oct. 19.—Mrs. W. H. Hudson and her four youngest children left this morning starting on their long journey to the Far East, Kashing, China, where Dr. Hudson has been for the past year or more. The three oldest children remain in this country continuing their education, George and David Hudson being second and third year students of the college and Miss Irene to enter a woman's college next year. A member of the party was Miss Hersman, who returns to China, where she has a position in Dr. A. A. McFadyen's hospital. The party will be joinel on the Pacific coast by Mrs. Baxter, of Fayetteville, a sister of Mrs. J. S. Worth, of Wilmington, who goes to teach the children of Dr. McFadyen. Miss Tillie Davis, who will sail on the same ship, will teach in the family of Rev. Fair Preston in Korea. Miss Sue Hall, of Wilmington, returning from Banner Elk, has been here for several days the guest of Mrs. A. Currie. Miss Hall returned from China a year ago.

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Little Miss Eunice Adams, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Adams, was hostess to a number of her friends at the parsonage of the Fifth Street Methodist Church Monday afternoon in honor of her 10th birthday. Games and refreshments contributed to the pleasure of the young people. There present were: Aliene Hopkins, Ida Lora Wannermaker, Elizabeth Cade Dock, Marie Fleet, Elizabeth Schaefer, Catherine Schaefer, Sarah Wells, Catherine Wells, Aldrick Dock, L. Ellis, Dorothy Davis, Edison Rourk, Southern Hatchell, LeRoy LeGwin, Jr., Mildred Fearington, Mary Sanders, Aliene McGirt, Elise Williams, Lina McEachern, Katherine Taylor, Hally Taylor, Milton Devany.

The Delgado Cotton Mills, through Mr. Ames, has offered to co-operate with Sorosis in that organization's efforts to further the wear-cotton movement and to encourage the sale of products of local manufacturing industries by the local retail merchants.

Goods manufactured at the Delgado Mills will be on sale at the Woman's Exchange at the Sorosis building on North Third street, open Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Sorosis is offering a prize of $5 for the most attractive dress made of coton goods manufactured in Wilmington exhibited at the Floral Fair and Corn Show next month.

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QUIET HOME WEDDING
YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

A quiet home wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Parham, 209 North Second street, yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, when their sister, Miss Nelle Roberta Brooks, of Fayetteville, was married to Mr. John S. Pryse, of Wilmington, Rev. W. Marshall Craig, assistant pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating, in the presence of members of the bride's family, including her mother, Mrs. R. W. Brooks, of Fayetteville, and a few intimate friends.

Following the cermony, Mr. and Mrs. Pryse left on a south-bound train for a brief bridal trip, after which they will be at home at 209 North Second street.

The bride has been in Wilmington since early in the summer and has made a good number of friends. She was contralto soloist in the choir of St. James' church during the summer. She is an attractive young woman of talent and pleasing personality. Mr. Pryse is cashier of the local exchange of the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company and is an energetic and industrious young man, held in high esteem by a wide circle of friends. He is a native of Kentucky, but has been in Wilmington several years.

THEATRICAL

To remain partners for 40 years without a falling out or dissension is doing rather well for any couple, married or single. Yet the business relations of McIntyre and Heath have continued for that length of time and barring unforeseen happenings will go on much longer.

They begin an engagement in John Cort's stupendous revival of "The Ham Tree" at the Academy of Music, one night only, Friday, October 23rd., and the simple sketch with which the two partners began has been amplified into a whole show filled with modern ideas, and it is claimed to be the season's best offering in the musical comedy line. When "The Ham Tree" was first started it was a brief vaudeville sketch and this was long before the present vaudeville scheme had been originated. The pessimistic and optimistic negroes who were stranded in the backwoods and the failing spirits of one upheld by the visions of ham and eggs growing on the trees, is still the central feature of the entertainment and it is as funny as of yore. So vivid is Mr. Heath's description on succulent dishes, as roast beef, biscuits with oozing butter and other trimmings that one actually gets up quite an appetite. The boys employ different methods from the average black-face comedians. There is an absence of the slap-stick feature and the fun borders closely on the line of legitimate comedy. Then again, each has the art of facial expression down to a nicety and they tell much without saying a word. The show itself is a whirl of fun and of the good sort. At that one seldom witnesses such a remarkable chorus. The minstrel parade, it is said, is a show in itself. A new feature has been added in Ebenezer, a trick mule. This is the real thing and he knows his business, indeed, so sprightly is this animal that when he comes on the stage everybody but his trainer and the man employed to make the attempt to ride him seek safety in the wings to the delight of the audience. Ebenezer has a wicked eye, a sleek coat and a pair of very long ears which are laid back on his head at the slightest provocation.

In the cast are some well known musical comedy favorites, among whom are Edward Wade, Arthur Barry, John Lorenz, Jack Crisp, Otto Johnson, Winnie Crisp, Edward Holden, Norman Woodward, Mildred Beverly, Jack Bell and Mabel Elaine.

"Trey O' Hearts" Day

In the tenth installment of the "Trey O' Hearts" scheduled at the popular photoplay house for today, there came nearer being a tragedy enacted than has heretofore happened, with all the daring of the leaders in this film masterpiece. Rose, Allen and Barcus were cut loose in a car in the middle of a bridge, and hearing the approach of the Trine special, and realizing that they would be ground to pieces unless they averted it by quick action, Barcus crawled out on the trestle and hung down under the edge by his hands Allan in turn slid down and held on to Barcus' feet, making a human bridge by which Rose began the desent to the water below. Just as she was half way down, the collission occured. Barcus looking up, saw coming hurtling right down on them, so that it would undoubtedly strike Rose. He quickly grabbed her by the hair and jerked her head underneath the edge of the trestle, just as the mamoth piece of wreckage dashed down.

Outside of this startling scene, this installment, in two whole reels is undoubtedly the most thrilling yet, and no one who has been following the story will want to miss a single flash. Owing to the large crowds at night, it is preferable to attend the matinee performances.

"The Tell-Tall Scar", a mammoth Thanhouser dramatic feature with Morross Foster and Mayme Hall playing the leads is the second number on today's big bill. Then there's a rousing Crystal comedy "Liferitis".

The Victoria's Offering.

If you haven't glimpsed the present big show at the Victoria thearte, why don't miss chance today and it is the last one, too, because tomorrow the regular mid-week change of bill transpires. The present offering is a dandy in every way and contains a galaxy of Keith novelties that will be a long time before duplication. Take, for instance, the Black Art act presented by Joe Kramer and Company. Now that's a real novelty; something entirely new from anything ever seen in Wilmington before. It thrills and mystifies. There is something delightful weird about the act, and it is elaborately produced. Things appear in the air in most mysterious manner, while the head of one of the performers is "cut off." in plain view of the audience. Yet there is always a big laugh. The Oakland Sisters are charming and they present a repertoirs of songs and dances that is a great hit. They are exceedingly clever. Harold Yates is also shining as a big star and this well known mimic offers "A Miniature Vaudeville Show" that is a wonder. Griffin and Lewis are likewise pleasing in a fun sketch. New pictures and new orchestral music add to the big show.

Friday night the Victoria is going to pull-off a great laughfest in the "Greasy Pole." It is a laugh novelty.

"Million Dollar Mystery" Grand Today.

It is probably useless to remind Wilmington theatregoers that today "The Million Dollar Mystery" is on at the Grand Theatre. Judging by comment, expressions of eagerness and gladness, amusement-lovers are fully aware of it and will, just like a week ago, pack the handsome, comfortable Grand to the doors at every performance. Episode No. 3 will be offered today, and it will further plunge into the thrilling, mysterious Harold McGrath story that has created such a sensation in the moving picture world; a furore never equalled and one that is holding thousands of theare-goers thoughout this country in a mental grip of steel. Episode No. 3 is more graphic and more stirring than the previous two and the moving pictures depicting such are mammoth and brilliant. But "The Million Dollar Mystery" in not all at the Grand today. No, sir, because today's show at this popular playhouse is going to be the largest and best ever screened in Wilmington. There will be two other big films, including the latest John Bunny masterpiece and, of course, clever Flora Finch will be his co-star. It will be a rib-tickler right, "Mr. Bunnyhug Buys a Hat for His Bride." Another special film today is the big dramatic, "A Daring Get Away."

Tomorrow Mary Pickford comes in Channing Pollocks' delightful success, "Such a Little Queen." It's a Paramount.

The Free Pictures.

The bill at the Orton Confectionery for today is one that should attract capacity crowds both afternoon and night to this favorite spot in Wilmington, where the very best movies may be witnessed while soft drinks of the best are being served, without any charge for the entertainment feature.

Today's picture is entitled "The Pirates of The Plains" and it is an exciting story of the Rio Grande country in three reels, featuring Josephine West and Joe Ryan in the leading roles. It's one of the most thrilling western dramas ever staged and is absorbing and interesting throughout, tense to a finish in its dramatic climaxes and situations.

BANKERS MEET IN RALEIGH

Meeting of North Carolina Association There Friday to Consider Wade Cotton Plan.

Local bankers have received from Mr. W. A. Hunt, of Henderson, secretary and treasurer of the North Carolina Bankers' Association, copies of a circular letter sent out to all members of the organization, advising them of the action of the executive committee in calling a meeting to be held at Raleigh Friday at noon for the purpose of taking action on the "Wade-St. Louis" cotton pool plan, and urging that all who can possibly do so attend.

Mr. Thos. E. Cooper of this city, is president of the North Carolina Bankers' Association, and by virtue of his office an ex-officio member of the executive committee. Mr. Chas. E. Taylor, Jr., of this city, is a member of the executive committee, and practically all of the officials of the local banks are members of the State Association. Wilmington will likely be well represented at the meeting in Raleigh Friday, as the first meeting held in this State to consider the Wade pool plan was held in the rooms of the chamber of commerce here, having been called by President Cooper.

Mr. Hunt's letter to the members of the Association is as follows:

"To The Members of The North Carolina Bankers' Association:

"At a meeting of the Executive Committee of this Association, held in Richmond on October 15th, 1914, a special meeting of this Association is hereby called to meet in the State Capitol at Raleigh, on Friday, Oct. 23rd, at 12, o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering and taking action on the "Wade-St. Louis" plan to raise a loan fund of $150,000,000, to aid Southern cotton producers. The North Carolina Bankers have evidenced their desire to aid the farmers in every way possible, and this invitation should be extended to your customers and those that are interested, to attend this meeting.

"This Loan Fund is to be raised by subscriptions to a Cotton Pool, of which North Carolina's part will be $3,500,000. The final plans for operating the loan fund, it is understood, will be annuonced when it is shown that bankers and business men of the country are willing to subscribe the whole of the proposed $150,000,000 Pool.

"It is very important that a large representation be present, and I hope your institution will send some officer or director to this meeting.

"Reducted rates on all railroads entering Raleigh can be obtained on account of State Fair.

"By order of the Executive Committee.

"Respectfully,
"WILLIAM A. HUNT,
"Secretary."

SPECIFICATIONS FOR WELLS

Standard Requirements Drawn up by Mr. Catlett—Will be Used in Sinking Rural Wells

For the guidance of the contractors who will drill the four experimental deep wells to be sunk in different sections of the county, Chairman Martin S. Willard, of the Board of County Commissioners, has had Mr. George Catlett, director of the city laboratory work, prepare a set of standard specifications, which, it is believed, will eliminate much of the uncertainty heretofore attending the quality and quantity of water to be secured from deep wells.

The four deep wells which the Board of Commissioners and the Board of Education will jointly have sunk at school houses in different rural townships will be drilled according to these specifications, and copies will also be kept on file at the offices of the chairman of the Board of Commissioners and chairman of the Board of Education, and placed at the disposal of the public. Any citizen or resident of the county desiring to have a deep well sunk on his premises is welcome to use the standard specifications prepared for the two boards.

Mr. Catlett was assisted in preparing the specifications by Mr. Sweeney, engineer at the city water works plant, and City Engineer F. F. Pillett. The specifications call for a pipe well, sunk into a well proteced, deep-seated water layer, and capable of furnishing wholesome water suitable for drinking purposes while such well is operated by a hand pump, of the type described in the specifications. There are clauses governing the source of water, casing pump, quantity of water, and quality of water required.

Heretofore deep wels sunk in the city and county have been drilled entirely without specifications of any kind, the contractor going ahead in any manner that suited him until water was struck. This haphazard method is believed to be responsible for the fact that many of the wells have either failed to furnish a permanent, steady supply of water, or have become polluted after being used for a short time. Mr. Willard and Mr. Catlett believe that the standard specifications drawn up will remedy such conditions, and they await the sinking of the four experimental wells in the county with interest.

These four wells will be located as follows: one at the Wrightsboro school house; one at the school house beyond the Pearsall place in East Wilmington; one at the school on the Federal Point road about three miles south of Wilmington and the fourth at the site of the new school house to be built on the Masonboro loop.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Capt. Nathan O'Berry, of Goldsboro, was here yesterday a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. J. C. Walker, of Norfolk, was among yesterday's arrivals in the city, stopping at The Orton.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton were W. B. Person, Pikeville; Ralph W. Page, Aberdeen, and Harry W. Loving, Charlotte, N. C.,

SCOTTISH RITE REUNION.

Fall Meeting Now in Progress—Degrees Conferred Yesterday.

The fall meeting of the Coordinate Bodies of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry began yesterday morning at 10 o'clock in the Scotish Rite Hall in the Masonic Temple and work continued throughout the day and evening. Degrees from the Fourth to the 18th inclusive were conferred.

Work will be resumed this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and all candidates must be on hand at that time. Degrees to be conferred today will be from the 18th to the 30th, inclusive.

THE RECORDER'S COURT

Several Road Sentences Yesterday—Convict Gets Added Term

Convicted of violating the prohibition law, James Davis, colored, was sentenced by the Recorder yesterday morning to a term of six months on the county roads.

Preston Bishop, colored, who was sentenced Monday to a term of six months, is suffering from tuberculosis, and when this was brought to the attention of the court yesterday the sentence was changed in order to allow the commissioners to hire him out.

J. M. Bates, alias "Gossey Bell," an escaped convict, was given an additional 60 days for taking french leave sometime ago. Gabe Ballard, colored, was taxed the costs for an assault, and Jas. Mc Neal, colored, was also assessed the costs for heaving an iron weight at D. N. Murrell, white. Alex McRae, colored, charged with larceny, was found not guilty, and Earl Burnett and Henry Moore, also charged with larceny, were dismissed.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Suit was started in Superior Court yesterday by J. W. Harper against the Carolina Coast Products Company. Ex-Judge E. K. Bryan represents the plaintiff. The complaint has not yet been filed.

—A number of Wilmington people left yesterday on both the Seaboard and Atlantic Coast Line trains to attend the State Fair. Next week both the Newbern and Fayetteville fairs will be held.

—The clam shell dredge Hercules has begun work on the channel several miles below the city again, after a layoff of several months when the appropriation for the work gave out. The government tug Richard Caswell towed the dredge down the river yesterday morning.

L. C. GRANT RECEIVER

Appointed to Take Charge of Southern Adjustment Company

On petition of E. W. Jones, Judge Oliver H. Allen, at chambers at Southport, has signed an order appointing L. Clayton Grant, Esq., temporary receiver for the Southern Adjustment Company, of this city. The officers of the company are cited to appear before Judge Allen here next Monday and show case why the receivership should not be made permanent.

The Southern Adjustment Company, of which Mr. F. R. Connor is president and Miss Ruth Robbins secretary, has offices in the Trust Building. It conducts a general adjustment business. The suit brought against the company by E. W. Jones is for a claim of $125.30 which the plaintiff alleges the defendant company owes him. Jones is represented by E. T. Burton, Esq.,

Lecture to Colored

Elder Sydney Scott, colored, a chautauqua lecture of Nashville, Tenn., will deliver a lecture tonight at the colored chautauqua auditorium on 10th street, near Princess, on the present European War and its relation to Armageddon, mentioned in the Book of Revelation. The public is cordially invited to hear the lecture.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

AMENDMENTS ARE ADOPTED

Members of New York Cotton Exchange Act Favorably on the Changes in By-Laws.

New York, Oct. 20.—The amendments to the by-laws of the cotton exchange were adopted by an almost unanimous vote of the members here today. A report from the clearing house committee was submitted to the board of managers, but action on this matter is not considered necessary to a re-opening of the market, and the trade now is chiefly interested in the progress of the plan for taking over old contracts by a corporation and syndicate. Favorable weather conditions were reported generally in the South and Western belts.

Spot markets were said to be a shade easier. Local spot dealers, however, claim that farmers show little willingness to consider prices under the six cent level and some of the eastern belt markets were steadier. Domestic mills are buyinug some cotton from day to day, but are still reported to be operating only for immediate requirements. Complaints of country damageed cotton are beginning to reach the trade and it is said that much cotton is being held by farmers without adequate protection from the weather.

PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling 6¾; receipts 783; sales 575; stock 80,552.

Galveston—Middling 6¾; receipts 31,815; exports 8,425; sales 350; stock 188,872.

Mobile—Middling 6¾; receipts 1,652; stock 21,976.

Savannah—Middling 6¾; receipts 8,-115; sales 1,563; stock 33,501.

Charleston—Middling 6¾; receipts 1,897; sales 200; stock 41,353.

Wilmington—Middling 6½; receipts 918; stock 16,774.

Texas City—Receipts 2,314.

Norfolk—Middling 6¾; receipts 1,364; sales 254; stock 23,665.

Baltimore—Stock 5,000.

Boston—Stock 2,600.

Philadelphia—Stock 4,183.

New York—Exports 1,200; stock 69,-108.

Minor ports—Stock 17,935.

Total today—Receipts 56,578; exports 9,625; stock 550,520.

Total for week—Receipts 124,528; exports 31,091.

Total for season—Receipts 940,185; exports 346,370.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling 6¾; receipts 26,-358; shipments 23,285; sales 6,400; stock 93,978.

Memphis—Receipts 10,166; shipments 5,718; sales 1,800; stock 114,147.

Augusta—Middling 6¾; receipts 6,-359; shipments 1,391; sales 1,569; stock 88,726.

St. Louis—Middling 6¾; receipts 1,-695; shipments 1,800; stock 15,194.

Cincinnati—Receipts 243; shipments 673; stock 3,474.

Little Rock—Middling 6½; receipts 1,451; shipments 1,174; stock 18,678.

Total today—Receipts 46,249; shipments 34,841; stock 334,197.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Oct. 20.—Spot cotton in improved demand; prices unchanged. Sales 4,800 bales, including 3,400 American on the basis of 5.05d for middling. Imports 3,106 bales, all American.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Oct. 20.—Raw sugar quiet; molasses 3.74; centrifugal 4.39. Refined quiet.

Butter—Firm.

Cheese—Steady.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 20.—Cottonseed oil was steady early on covering of shorts and professional support, but the list sagged off later under pressure of hedge sales and scattered liquidation by tired longs. Final prices were 2 to 5 points net lower. Sales 15,200 barrels.

The market closed easy. Spot 5.15 to 5.25; October 5.10 to 5.20; November 5.15 to 5.17; December 5.18 to 5.29; January 5.27 to 5.28; February 5.38 to 5.39; March 5.56 to 5.57; April 5.66 to 5.67; May 5.83 to 5.84.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Oct. 20.—Cotton goods markets were quiet today with prices easy. Less ne wbusiness was offered in wool products owing to the slow closing and cutting trades. Silk trading was quiet.

NAVAL STORES MARKET.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 20.—Turpentine nominal, 45¼; no sales; receipts 514; shipments 313; stocks 27,231.

Rosin, nominal; no sales; receipts 2,-076; shipments 2,493; stocks 109,020. Quote: A B, 3.50; C D, 3.52½; E F G H I, 3.55; K, 4.15; M, 4.50; N, 6.00; WG, 6.25; WW, 6.35.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Dowaward Movement Continues During Yesterday—January for 7.10.

New Orleans, Oct. 20.—The downward movement in the price of cotton continued today, bids for January being reduced to 7.10, while spot cotton was officially quoted at 6⅝ for middling, a loss of ⅛ from yesterday's prices.

The refusal of insurance companies to take war risks on shipments of cotton to many neutral ports was given as one of the reasons for the decline. The loss of a sixteenth in quotations at Dallas early in the day helped to weaken local spots while the large receipts at Memphis and Houston had its effect.

The weather over the belt was favorable. Spot quiet; sales 265; to arrive 310.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—Hogs weak, bulk 7.00 to 7.45; light 6.70 to 7.50; mixed 6.90 to 7.65; heavy 2.80 to 7.55; pigs 4.50 to 6.80.

Cattle weak; beeves 6.30 to 10.90; calves 7.25 to 11.00.

Sheep, firm; sheep 4.90 to 6.05; yearlings 5.40 to 6.50; lambs 6.10 to 7.85.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 20.—Mercantile paper 6 to 6¼. Sterling exchange weak; 60 day bills 4.93; for cables 4.9650; for demand, 4.96. Bar silver 50⅝.

DOWNWARD TURN IN WHEAT

Enlarged Offerings from First Hands Causes Drop in Grain Prices at Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 20.—Enlarged offerings from first hands gave the wheat market today a downward turn. Prices closed weak, 1⅝ to 1⅞ off. Corn lost ⅝ to ¾ net and oats ¼ to ⅜. There was an irregular finish in provisions, ranging from 10 decline to an advance of 12½.

Grain and provisions closed:

Wheat—December 1.14⅝; May 1.20¼.
Corn—December 67⅝; May 70⅜.
Oats—December 49⅜; May 52⅜.
Pork—January 18.77.
Lard—November 10.27; January 9.92.
Ribs—January 9.80.

Cash Grain:

Wheat—No. 2 red 1.13* to 1.14&; No. 2 hard 1.13* to 1.15.
Corn—No. 2 yellow 74 to 74¼.
Oats—Standard 48½ to 48⅝.

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List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Falls City (Br.), 2,917 tons, Eastwood, Heide & Co.

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Str. Strathlorne (Br.), 2,803 tons, Stanhope, Heide & Co., agents.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 3,289 tons, Hollasch, at Southport, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger) 2,872 tons, Linke, at Southport, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. Alice L. Pendleton, 567 tons, Marshall, C. D. Mafflitt & Co.

Barges.

Standard Oil Barge No. 80, Standard Oil Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 20.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, at 45.

ROSIN—Steady. Large, $3.40; small, $3.20.

TAR—Firm, $2.25 per barrel; per gallon, 10c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $3.25 per barrel for soft; $3.25 per barrel for virgin; $2.25 per barrel for hard.

Quotations same day last year — Spirits turpentine, steady 39¾; rosin, firm, 3.30; tar, firm, 2.20-10; crude, firm, 3.00, 3.00, 2.00.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	19
Rosin	188
Tar	38
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 12 casks; rosin, 10 barrels; tar, (—) barrels; crude turpentine (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot middling, steady, 6½; last year, 13¾.

Receipts, 918 bales; same day last year, 4,536 bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, 20,139 bales.

Total receipts to same day last year, 135,949 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 20, 1914.

Atlantic Coast Line—775 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 38 barrels rosin.

Seaboard Air Line—127 bales cotton.

Str. Thelma—16 bales cotton; 13 casks spirits turpentine; 161 barrels rosin.

Schr. Addie May—4 casks spirits turpentine; 27 barrels rosin.

Total—918 bales cotton; 19 casks spirits turpentine; 188 barrels rosin; 38 barrels tar.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., October 16.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market weaker; old stock, fancy hand-picked, 65c. per bu.; No. 1, machine picked, 60c. per bu.

Virginias—New crop, Jumbo, 70c. per bu.; fancy hand-picked, 65c. per bu.; No. 1, machine picked, 60c. per bu.

Spanish—New crop; Small Spanish, 70c. per bu.; Jumbo Spanish, 65c. per bu.

INTEREST IN CONFERENCES

Wall Street and Other Financial Centers Are Looking to Washington for Results.

New York, Oct. 20.—Interst in financial affairs today centered chiefly around the conferences being held in Washington between representatives of the British finance minister and Treasury officials. The outcome of these meetings is expected to have a very direct bearing, not only upon existing foreign exchange conditions, but also upon the broad question of the reopening of the London and New York stock exchanges.

Washington was also the seat of continued negotiations relative to the organization of the proposed cotton pool in which a hitch was reported. The chief obstacle in the way of this plan is said to be the disinclination of the Federal Reserve Board to assume full responsibility for the project on the ground that other and more pressing duties are no wbefore it for consideration.

There was another abrupt break in exchange on London, cables being quoted at 4.96½ and demand bills at 4.96. Business very active. The decline generally was associated with the recent heavy foreign demand for American commodities.

Depression in steel and copper continued with lower prices. Time money was easier in some instances, but actually unchanged. Local banks are holding themselves in readiness for prospective renewals, some of these contracts representing 90 day loans.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Oct. 17.)

CORN—$2.10 per sack.

POTATOES — Irish potatoes, $1.00 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 75c. per bu.

PEAS—Out of season.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7 to 8c.; very dull.

PORK—Small, 10@12 cents; large, no sale.

SHEEP—No sale. Lambs, $1.50 to $2.50 per head; very dull; no sale.

WOOL—Burry, 14 to 15c.; black wool, 16 to 17c.; first-class white wool, 21c. free, 20@21c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12c.; dry flints, 17@19c. lb.; dull.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 22c.; good demand; sides and shoulders, 16c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28@29c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 45@50c.; spring, 15c@35c. per head; good demand.

EGGS—24@26c. per doz.

FOODSTUFFS AND FEEDS.

(Wholesale Price Quotations of Tuesday by Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

Flour—Fancy Patent, $6.00 to $6.25 (car lots).

Corn—Domestic, $1.00; Imported, 95c.

Meal—96 lb. bag, $1.95 to $2.00.

Oats—Mixed, 60c; white, 65c. bu.

Hay—No. 1, Timothy, $24.00; No. 1, Mixed, $23.00 ton.

Middlings—$30.00 to $31.00.

D. S. Sides—From 12¾ to 14c.

Plates—from 11¾ to 12.

Lard—From 8 to 8¼, according to quality.

Coffee—From 9 to 12c.

Rice—Broken, 4¼ to 4½c; Japan, 5 to 5¼c; Fancy Head, 5¾ to 6⅜c.

Sugar—Granulated basis, 6¾ to 7c; lower grades, usual difference.

Molasses — Black strap, 15c; mixed, 28c; Fancy Porto Rico, 40c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 28.—Spanish—Market, quiet. Spanish, 80c. per bushel for Farmers' stock.

Virginias—Market quiet. Jumbo, 4c. per lb. Fancy Hand Picked, 3¾c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb. Prime, 3¼c. per lb. Machine Picked, 3¼c. to 3⅜c. per lb.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

October 21, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 59 degrees; at 8 P. M. 65 degrees; maximum 72 degrees; minimum 55 degrees; mean 64 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month to date, 2.08 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 3.8 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy Wednesday, slightly warmer in interior; Thursday fair.

The Port Calendar, Oct. 21, 1914.

Sun Rises	6:22 A. M.
Sun Sets	5:31 P. M.
Day's Length	11 hrs. 9 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	11:13	11:20	5:58	6:44
Southport	9:07	9:29	2:52	3:47
Masonboro Inlet	8:56	9:18	2:32	3:27

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

October 20, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature Highest today.	Temperature Lowest last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene	cldy	82	56	0.
Asheville	cldy	74	48	.0
Augusta	pt cldy	72	60	.0
Boston	clear	68	50	.0
Birm'ham	clear	76	58	.0
Char'ston	clear	74	66	.0
Charlotte	cldy	72	54	.0
Jax'ville	clear	80	64	.0
Mobile	clear	80	62	.0
N. Orleans	pt cldy	80	70	.0
Raleigh	pt cldy	72	54	.0
New York	clear	70	54	.0
Montgom'y	clear	78	60	.0
Pal'stine	clear	82	64	.0
Chicago	clear	76	58	.0
Ok'homa	cldy	84	58	.0
Pittsburg	clear	70	48	.0
Galv'ston	pt cldy	80	74	.0
St. Louis	pt cldy	72	60	.0
Shr'vport	clear	84	62	.0
Savannah	clear	76	62	.0
Wash'ton	cldy	74	46	.0

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Sept. 20, 1914. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 5:30 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.	No. 91. a 1:15 A.M.
No. 51. * 5:25 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. *12:45 A.M.
No. 64. ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. ! 6:15 P.M.
No. 48. * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with N. & W. trains with Florida Service.	No. 49. * 6:05 P.M.
No. 53. * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Salisbury.	No. 52. * 8:05 P.M.
No. 62. * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. *12:50 P.M.
No. 57. ! 6:20 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate stations.	No. 58. ! 8:15 A.M.
No. 56. * 5:45 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida Points. Columbia, Asheville and the West. All steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta, and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. *12:50 P.M.
No. 59. ! 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. !10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York (trains) also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. * 9:40 A.M.

* Daily ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday. ! Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect October 12, 1914.

WINTER PARK, WRIGHTSVILLE, WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS.

EASTBOUND: Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park	Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	Leave Front and Princess for Beach	WESTBOUND: Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave for for Wilmington
.....	.....	.....	a6:26 A. M.	a6:15 A. M.	.....
a6:30 A. M.	.....	.....	a7:36 A. M.	a7:25 A. M.	.....
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6:55 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.	a8:01 A. M.	a7:50 A. M.	a7:40 A. M.
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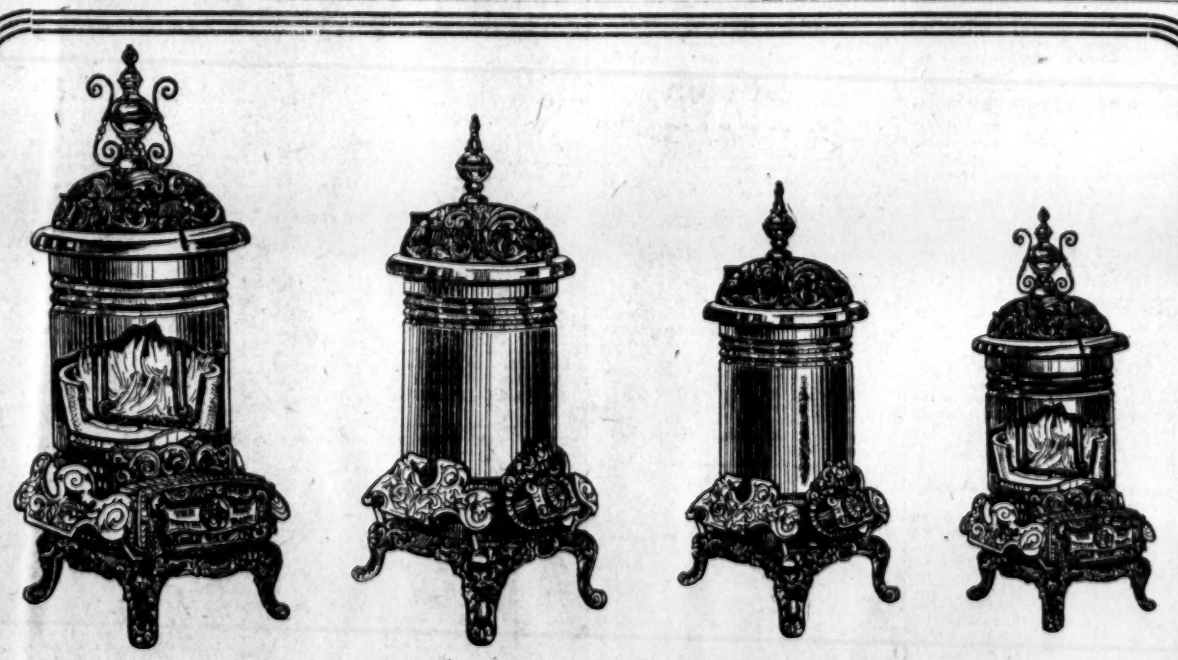

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TROUBLE BREWING AGAIN IN MEXICO

Villa Said to Have Arrested Peace Delegates.

Zapata Will Attend Peace Conference in Person is Word Coming From Mexico City—Villa is Mystery to U. S.

Mexico City, Oct. 20.—General Zapata will go in person to the peace convention at Aguas Calientes. He is to reach there late this week and all action on formation of a provisional government will be suspended until his arrival.

Many protests are being filed against alleged outrages by Villa's soldiers, who are said to be holding up delegates and at the point of the pistol demanding that they shout "Long live Villa." It is declared that generals, too, have been accosted in this manner.

A protest also has been made that the neutrality of the convention is being violated by the presence of 15,000 Villa troops within an hour's ride of Aguas Calientes. They were brought up from Zacatecas. The delegates claim the city is in a state of siege.

A resolution wts passed aoday forbidding recruiting on either side while the peace conference is in session.

REPORTS NOT DENIED.

Villa is Said to Have Arrested Peace Delegates.

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 20.—Border reports that Villa had arrested several Carranza delegates at Aguas Calientes lacked definite denial today from Villa agents here. The unexpected entry of the northern leader into the conference at the head of several hundred troops has caused much anxiety to the Carranza followers.

Villa himself, it was reported officially, has left Aguas Calientes for Durango City with a strong column.

TROUBLE NOT ENDED.

Faith of Officials in Washington Shaken by Developments.

Washington, Oct. 20.—Recent developments, it became known tonight, have shaken the belief of officials here that the contest between Carranza and Villa for control of the political situation in Mexico was about to be adjusted.

Reports that Villa had moved a large force into the vicinity of Aguas Calientes and had attempted to coerce peace conference delegates, wer doubted, but a more serious view was taken of dispatches announcing that Carranza had repudiated the claim of the convention to sovereign power in Mexico. There was no official confirmation of this or of reports that the first chief had declared he would deliver the executive power only to a man elected by the people, but officials admitted they did not regard it as unlikely.

DESPERATE BATTLE BEGINS IN FLANDERS

(Continued From Page One.)

The French artillerymen are careful in getting ranges and waste few shells. In an artillery duel near Armentieres the Germans fired for half a day into thickets that had been abandoned some time before. The French guns finally got the range and twelve shells silenced the German battery.

PROHIBITION IN RUSSIA.

Russian Emperor Orders Sale of Liquor Forbidden—Savings Increase.

Paris, Oct. 20.—A Petrograd dispatch to the Havas Agency says the Russian press is enthusiastic over a declaration by the Russian Emperor that the sale of alcohol by the government is forever forbidden in Russia.

The Russian union of abstinence, which devotes its energies to the combating of alcoholism, addressed to Emperor Nicholas a request that he forbid the sale of spirituous liquors in Russia. His Majesty replied:

"I thank you; I long ago decided to interdict for all time in Russia the sale of alcoholfc drinks by the government."

The Novoe Vremya of Petrograd cites as an effect of the suppression of the sale of liquor, an increase in savings bank deposits during September of 23,000,000 roubles ($11,500,000) over the same month last year, in spite of the war.

ARE AFTER RECRUITS.

Great Effort Will be Made Throughout England Today, is Report.

London, Oct. 20.—Tomorrow—Trafalgar Day—will be made the occasion of a great effort to recruit men for the army. Hundreds of wreaths have been banked at the base of the Nelson monument, where great crowds gathered today. Canada, New Zealand, Australia, Japan and South Africa sent floral pieces.

In addition to the flowers the entire base of the monument is enveloped with recruiting banners bearing the words: "Your King and Your Country need you."

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION.

French Claim That Germans Have Been Repulsed With Heavy Loss.

Paris, Oct. 20.—The French official communication issued tonight says the Germans today attacked along the entire front and everywhere were repulsed. The text follows:

"The day has been characterized by an effort of the Germans along all parts of the front—to the extreme north, where the Belgian army has held remarkably; at La Basse, where the German troops have attempted an offensive movement of particular violence; to the north of Arras; at Mametz, between Peronne and Albert; at Vauquois to the east of the Argonne, and, finally, on the heights of the Meuse and in the region of Champion.

"Everywhere the German attacks have been repulsed."

CONDITIONS ARE BAD.

Russians at Warsaw Inconvenienced by Lack of Hospitals, Etc.

London, Oct. 20.—"The Russians at Warsaw," says a dispatch from Berlin, "are greatly inconvenienced by inadequate sanitary arrangements and lack of hospitals.

"Kiev, Moscow and other places in Russia are overcrowded. Troops from Bessarabia are being sent to the Caucuses to crush a rebellion.

"There is a shortage of Russian officers.

"Despite the numerical superiority of the enemy's forces at Warsaw, General Von Hindenberg is confident of victory.

"The Austrian offensive in Galicia is making progress. The Russians in their attacks before Przemysl lost 40,000 men, where the Austro-Hungarian casualties in the same engagements were only 500."

London, Oct 21—1245 am.—A Reuter dispatch from St. Avenger, Norway, says the British steamer Glitera, of Leith, was sunk off the Norwegian coast today by a German submarine. The steamer's crew was ordered into the boats and the valves were opened.

London, Oct 20—Dr. Leslie Haden Guest, who established six hospotals in France, today estimated the number of wounded in that country half a million.

London, Oct 20—A casualty list of non-commissioned officers just issued but dated September 17, reports 95 wounded and 900 missing of whom more than 600 belonged to the Royal Munster Fusiliers. Other casualty lists dated Oct 16 and Oct 17 reports five officers killed and twelve wounded.

Berlin, Oct. 20—Bp wireless to Sayville, L. I., it was officially stated here today that the British new summarine E-3 was sunk on Sunday Oct 18 by German warships in the North Sea.

Amsterdam, via London, Oct 21—The Telegraafs's Sluis correspondent says the Germans apparently have been repulsed near Middle-Kerke. Their guns now are ndar Ostend which still is in the possession of the Germans. the correspondent adds.

GUNBOAT SMITH FALLS BEFORE SAM LANGFORD

White Artist Knocked Out by Negro in Third Round

First Time That "White Hope" Has Been Knocked Out—Smith Got Decision Over Newro in Fight Last Year—Easy Victory

Boston, Oct. 20.—Sam Langford, the negro heavyweight of Boston, knocked out Gunboat Smith, of New York, in three rounds here tonight.

The negro landed successfully a number of times in the first round, at the conclusion of which Smith showed exhaustion. It was the first time that the leading "white hope" of this country, who got a decisoin over Langford a year ago, has been knocked out. The nogro landed three solid punches before the first round was half finished and a sweeping right fell him for the count. Smith was weak when the first round ended.

In the second round, Langford, leading, landed a right to Smith's jaw, sending him to the mat. Smith sprawled there for nine seconds, staggering to his feet barely in time to save himself from being counted out. Feinting and landing with left and right. Langford rocked Smith with his blows and floored him again. Referee Jack McGuigan, of Philadelphia, had counted four when the bell gave Smith a reprieve.

Smith lasted nearly two minutes in the third round. Then Langford again landed and drew Smith's guard over. The negro then put his right over and Smith sank to the mat where he was counted out.

MARKET BREAKS RECORD.

More Than 100,000 Pounds Tobacco Sold at Wallace Yesterday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wallace, N. C., Oct. 20.—The Wallace market broke the record today for the sale of leaft tobacco. There was sold here on the floors of the two warehouses 104,276 pounds, at an average of $14.72 per hundred. The farmers were all well pleased, and many of them declared that tobacco is bringing as good prices as last year, notwithstanding, the European war.

The market expects to sell over 300,000 pounds of the weed this week.

FLOURNOY HEARD FROM.

Asks Maj. Harriss "Status Quo" Of His Suit Here.

W. C. Flournoy, adjudged insane by the clerk of the court here and declared sane after he had been taken back to Charlotte and given a hearing there, has written to Maj. W. N. Harriss, clerk of the court, inquiring for information relative to a suit started by him while here against the Murchison National Bank and the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company.

Flournoy's letter, written from Gastonia, and a somewhat peculiar epistle, is as follows:

"Office of Myself—New York, N. Y.

"Clerk of Superior Court, New Hanover County, Wilmington, N. C.

"Wire me here care Clyde Line steamer Cherokee, care Captain Bunnell, navigating officer, or McIntyre, steward; or the stewardess, the status quo of suit vs. Murchison National Bank, R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company party Hotel Wilmington party Officers New Hanover County, etc., etc., etc.

"Unless I get 'P. D. Q.' answer by hot wire will move case to United States Court of South Carolina, account 'Diversity of Citizenship,' and amount involved over $2,000 dollars cash, then the fur will fly to a finish. Better see ex-Governor Cyrus B. Watson, lawyer, statesman, Confederate hero, who claims to have been in my father's Sixth Virginia Cavalry, 1861 to 1865. Governor will give you hell sure. "Respectively,

"W. C. FLOURNOY,

"Financial Agent, Self and Others.

"City National Bank, New York, Permanent Address."

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Frying Pan Shoals Light Vessel Returned to Place—Relief Removed.

The current issue of Notice to Mariners, issued by the office of Bureau of Lighthouses and the Coast Geodetic Survey, carries the following paragraph in reference to the coast of North Carolina which will be of interest to local mariners:

"Seacoast—Frying Pan Shoals—Frying Pan Shoals Light Vessel returned to station and Relief Light Vessel withdrawn, October 7."

CITY FINANCES FOR PAST FOUR MONTHS

Several of Departments Have Spent Over Third of Appropriation

According to a statement issued yesterday by Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, covering the amounts expended by the several departments of the city government for the first four months of the fiscal year, several departments have already expended more than one-third of the total appropriation for the year. The street department has spent $25,591.75 for the four months this including overdrafts of $6,416.12, the balance remaining unexpended being $27,182.37. The police department has spent $18,175.64 and has a balance of $23,688.58 for the remaining eight months.

The totals for the different departments, as given below, will be of interest. The overdraft column includes expenditures for which there was no appropriation at the beginning of the year.

General Expense Account—Appropriation for year, $26,130; audited, $9,061.14; unexpended, $17,072.52; overdrawn, $3.66.

Police—Appropriation for year, $41,571; audited, $18,175.64; unexpended, $23,688.58; overdrawn, $293.22.

Fire—Appropriation for year, $39,070; audited, $12,384.49; unexpended, $26,830.91; overdrawn, $145.40.

Streets and Wharves—Appropriation for year, $48,358; audited, $27,591.75; unexpended, $28,182.37; overdrawn, $6,416.12.

Street Lighting—Appropriation for year, $18,019; audited, $5,654.20; unexpended, $12,364.80.

Health and Hospitals—Appropriation for year, $26,679; audited, $10,399.47; unexpended, $16,279.53.

Deep Wells —Appropriation, $2,500; audited, $61.88; unexpended, $2,438.12.

Markets—Appropriation for year, $1,850; audited, $268.96; unexpended, $1,581.04.

Coupon and Interest Account—Appropriation for year, $98,000; audited, $27,550; unexpended, $70,450.

Grand totals are as follows: Appropriation for year, $302,177; audited $111,147.53; unexpended, $197,887.87; overdrawn, $6,858.40.

In addition to the above the following amounts have been audited: Water and sewerage (operation), $27,020.62; sewer construction, $6,291.85; incinerator note, $6,000; Fourth street paving, $12,674.87; bond redeemed, $5,000; street construction, $2,036.67; new fire station, $238.81; miscellaneous, $25; tax refund. $104.88; park, $39.62; scavenger, $4,423.85; loss and injury, $65.75; sidewalks, $144.29. This makes a total audited of $175,213.74.

CONVICT MAKES ESCAPE

Henry Green Leaves Camp—"Gossey Bell" Recaptured Yesterday

Henry Gren, colored, sentenced to one year on the county roads at the last term of Superior Court for larceny from the person, made his escape from the Federal Point Convict camp yesterday morning about 8 o'clock, and had not been recaptured late last night. One of the guards, observing the negro as he was escaping, fired several shots at him, but whether they took effect or not is not known.

Green is the negro who made a personal appeal to the court when his case was tried. He told Judge Allen that someone gave him a sniff of a white drug, and that he did not remember what happened after that. He held up a negro woman on the streets and releaved her of her purse.

J. M. Bates, alias "Gossey Bell", a convict who escaped two months ago, was captured yesterday morning at Wrightsboro. Word was received at the Sheriff's office that the negro was at Wrightsboro. Policeman Thompson and Lane and Deputy Sheriff Kelly went to Wrightsboro and Sheriff Cowan and Special Officer Godwin went to Castle Haynes to head him off in case the other officers missed him. He was placed under arrest at Wrightsboro and brought back to the city. In the Recorder's court he was given an additional 60 days. He still has the better part of a six month's sentence to serve.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington, N. C.

Willer Coal Company against The Steamer J. L. Lawrence, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and person, lawfully intervening for their interest therein, in a cause of contract, civil and maritime.

In obedience to Warrant of Seizure to me directed in the above entitled cause, I have seized and taken into my possession the following described property, to-wit:

The Steamer J. L. Lawrence, her tackle, apparel and furniture, and for the cause set forth in the libel now pending in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington.

I hereby give notice to all persons claiming the said described property, or knowing or having anything to say why the same should not be condemned and forfeited and sold, and the proceeds thereof distributed, according to the prayer of the said libel, that they be and appear before the said court to be held in and for the Eastern District of North Carolina at the City of Wilmington on the 21st day of October, 1914, at 11 o'clock, if the same shall be a day of jurisdiction, there interpose a claim on the same and to make their allegation in their behalf.

W. T. DORTCH,
U. S. Marshal.

By J. N. Fennell, D. M.
October 19, 1914.
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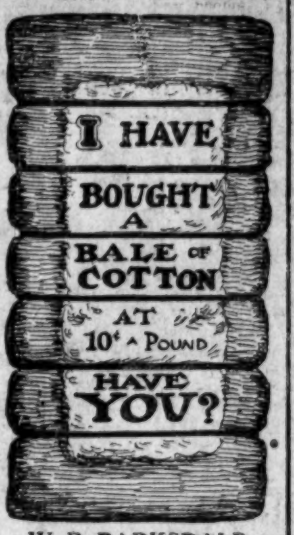

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RECEIVER'S SALE.

State of North Carolina, New Hanover County. In the Superior Court, September Term, 1914.

Murchison National Bank vs. Independent Mfg. Co., et als.

By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, made and entered at the September Term, A. D. 1914, in a cause therein pending, wherein Murchison National Bank is plaintiff and Independent Mfg. Co., D. McEachern, H. L. Vollers, N. H. Carter, W. H. Shearin, E. A. Hawes and Sam'l Blossom are defendants, the undersigned receiver duly appointed in said cause, will expose for sale by public auction for cash to the highest bidder, at the Court House door of the County of New Hanover, in the city of Wilmington, on Monday, the 16th day of November, A. D. 1914, at 12 o'clock M., all of the property, assets, and effects of the defendant Independent Mfg. Co., except the choses in action and accounts due said company and money on hand; also excepting all logs and manufactured products which may be on hand, among which said property is the following described real estate and personal property which may be seen and inspected at the plant of the company near Castle Haynes, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the western line of the right of way of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Company's branch of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company near where the railroad track crosses the North East branch of the Cape Fear river, where said line of said right of way of said railroad intersects with the high water mark of said Cape Fear River, and runs thence in a southwardly direction with the said western line of the right of way of said railroad Two Hundred and Ninety-five (295) feet to a stake in said line; thence at right angles with said right of way of said railroad and in a westwardly direction to the run of a drain or branch below the mill, thence in a northwardly direction following the meanders of said branch to its mouth; thence in an eastwardly direction following the meanders of the said North East branch of the Cape Fear River, to the Beginning, containing 18 acres more or less; and also the saw mill now on said land and all the machinery, boilers, engines, dry kilns, pipes and all other appurtenances connected with said business.

The above described property includes 1 Thirty H. P., Russell & Co., Engine; 1 Thirty-five H. P., upright Boiler; 1 One Hundred H. P., Eby City Boiler; 1 Fifty H. P. Eby City Engine; 1 Nance Saw with Curtis carriage; 2 Perkins Hand Feed Shingle Machines; 1 Fifty-two Titus Veneering Machine with back rolls for crate Beery Caps Basket Staves, Hoops with forms for manufacturing; 1 Titus Concave Heading Machine; 1 Titus Automatic Knife Grinder; 1 No. 17 Hoyt Bros. Co., Planer; 1 Gummer; 1 J. A. Fay & Egan Rip Saw Machine; 1 J. A. Fay & & Egan 8 foot Automatic Saw mill; 2 Jones & Co., Bottom Machines; 1 Log Haul; 1 4x6 Worthington Steam Pump; 1 Thirty-six foot Dry Kiln; 1 Box Trimmer line and counter shafting Pullers belting and conveyers; 4 Three Room Houses; 2 Five Room Houses; 1 Six Room House; 1 Two-Story Tin Roof Warehouse, 40x60; 1 40x60 Factory Room, tin roofed, and Mill building.

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